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DENVER, Colo., Jan. 7.—Dean Peck's prayer in the house to-day caused an uproar that shook the building. He said: "We shall pray especially for the majority of the house. We hope that they will be better than the last legislature, or else they may not have a majority of one. We are told to pray for our enemies and we do so, so far as they need our prayers, and we hope all party lines will be covered up. And we pray for the Populists and Democrats, and we hope that they will be resigned to their fate. We thank God for allowing us to live in this glorious country, and we hope now that all the offices are filled there will be harmony. God bless us all."

Panthers in New York State.

DOLGEVILLE, N. Y., Jan. 7.—The tracks of a panther were discovered a few days ago in the woods about 12 miles north of this village, and a party of hunters started out to capture the beast and they came near losing one of their number before the beast was killed. There were six in the party, armed with rifles or shot-guns, except one, who carried an axe. The panther's tracks had been followed about two miles through the woods and the man with the axe was about ten feet ahead of the others, when he suddenly stopped, dropped his axe and ran back. Not ten feet ahead of him was the panther, crouched on its haunches, its tail waving and just in the act of making a spring at the first man. Harvey Doxtoler was a few feet behind when the panther sprung and it was just about descending on the nearest of the party when he sent a bullet through the skull of the animal and it fell dead at the heels of the axeman. The panther measured six feet.

It was a $175 shot besides saving a life. This was the first panther seen in this vicinity for a great many years. The night after the panther was killed the scream of another was heard, the sound appeared to come from the mountains that run up from the bank of the lakes. Hunters are now out trying to capture it.

The Day of Small Things.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 7.—The Western Association of Writers is holding a convention here to-day. The attendance is large. The programme comprises the reading and discussion of papers and productions in so called prose and alleged poetry.

Linen Girls' Union.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The working girls who are identified with the different branches of the linen industry throughout the country will form themselves into a national organization at a convention that will be called to order in Florence Hall at ten o'clock to-morrow morning by Miss Delia Maloney. The movement was begun by Miss Mary E. Kenny, the women's organizer of the American Federation of Labor, and the delegates, many of whom have already arrived, will represent the linen industries of Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cleveland, Troy, St. Louis, Brooklyn and this city, to a total of over twenty thousand workers. A number of women Knights of Labor will take part in the proceedings, and the girls will discuss the best methods of enforcing the factory and anti-sweating bills, as well as the prison and immigration bills.

Exists in Free America.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 7.—Edward Hudson, who says he spent two and a half years as a convict miner in the coal mines at and near Briceville, Tenn., told his story to the chief of police to-day of the horrible treatment accorded the convicts. He says that the men are divided into gangs and given a certain amount of coal. They are beaten with an instrument which very much resembles the Russian knout. All are whipped, no matter if all but one or two did their share of work. He claims to have seen convicts die from this treatment. The victims are placed on the ground, face downward, and held by two men. Every cut of the knout draws blood. Two men he knew committed suicide to avoid punishment, and other have been known to pull great pieces of slate down upon them hoping to so maim themselves that they could not work in the mines. Hudson's story is similar to that of a very eminent professor of national repute who recently investigated the Tennessee system and described it as "worse than Siberia, a veritable hell on earth."

Gladstone May Come.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A London dispatch says that, despite his advanced age, it is not unlikely that Mr. Gladstone may be induced to visit this country during the World's Fair. A number of members and ex-members of Parliament have combined in a sort of World's Fair excursion party, and it is in contemplation to hire a fast steamer and enjoy the exclusive use of it on both the outward and homeward trips. Some of the promoters of the scheme are of the opinion that Mr. Gladstone could be induced to become a member of the party, providing his health is as good next summer as it is at the present time, and providing also that he would not be called upon to participate in any banquets or other fatiguing social festivities. It is contemplated to make the trip a short one, and only Washington outside of New York and Chicago will be visited. Amongst those said to be interested in the scheme are Henry Broadhurst, W. R. Burt, Kier Hardie, and W. R. Cremer, the workingmen's champions; Sir John Gorst, Joseph Chamberlain, Arnold Morley, John Mundella and Sir Lyon Playfair.

Maltreated to Death.

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—A miner who tried to return to work near Neunkirchen yesterday afternoon was so maltreated by miners that he died two hours later. Hundreds of miners are anxious to resume work, but fear to do so, as they are threatened with death by the leaders of the strike in case they do so. Boxes of powder and petroleum, with lighted fuses attached, have been found in the houses of several blacklegs. Many powder or dynamite bombs have exploded to-day in the halls or under the steps of houses where the blacklegs lodge. Nobody has been killed, but a considerable amount of damage has been done, and the gravest apprehensions have been excited throughout the Saar district in this city.

A Hearty Old Deutscher.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Citizens of all nationalities, especially Germans and German Americans, are by the hundreds to-day extending their congratulations to Hon. A. G. Hesing, founder of the Staats Zeitung, and the pioneer German journalist of the west, upon the fact that he has reached his seventieth birthday. To-night an informal reception is to be given to him by his son, Hon. Washington Hesing. No cards have been issued, the veteran preferring that his friends and acquaintances should sweep down upon him en masse after the old German custom.

Too Many Exhibited.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Director-General Davis and his chiefs of departments appear to have made a pretty mess of allotting space in the World's Fair building. Of the entire 3,000,000 feet of space at their disposal the director-general says ninety per cent. has been allotted. If this statement is correct 10,000 persons intending to exhibit are complaining because they have not been allotted space and must retire. The director-general insists that three times as many persons desire to exhibit as can be accommodated.

Children's Day at the Vatican.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A dispatch from Rome says that this was children's day at the Vatican. Over nine hundred little ones between the ages of five and ten years were received by the Pontiff in the Throne Room. Each little one was dressed in pure white, and each received the individual blessing of His Holiness, together with a little keepsake. The Pope also received a New Year's offering from the little ones, and was considerably affected.

Guilty of Theft.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 7.—A private letter from Capt. Manzen, late of the Itata, states that Commander Tijeda, who was here with the famous steamer and was subsequently appointed captain of a Chilean port, has been dismissed from service for theft from a shipwrecked steamer.

Seals on the South Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Capt. Rasmussen, of the tug Sea King, reports a great many fur seals off the heads. He says that on Thursday afternoon, four miles west of the Farallones the tug steamed through water swarming with thousands of fur bearing animals.

The Japan Sails.

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 7.—The C.P. Ry's steamship Empress of Japan sailed from here on Friday evening, Jan. 6th, for Victoria.

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Lorne on Sir John's Proposed Statute—Boodlers Detected at Spokane.

Fatal Natural Gas Explosion—The New American Consul at Three Rivers.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Canada's wheat product is receiving a good deal of attention in the British markets at present. Comparisons made of the western American product as against Manitoba's wheat are in favor of the latter. To this end Messrs. Dunlop Bros., of Glasgow, report state that while Duluth and other spring wheats are rather disappointing Manitoba again comes to the front this season. This report continuing says: Manitoba has exported freely to the British market and though the quantity has been large the quality was not inferior for the Manitoba wheat is handsomer, heavier and every way much more attractive than the Minnesota wheat. Thus Manitoba's No. 2 hard wheat has become popular in the English and Scottish market. Manitoba wheat, Nos. 1 and 2 hard, find a ready sale. The prices are as follows, quoting from yesterday's London transactions: Man. No. 1 hard sold at 30 shillings, C. I. A., No. 2 winter, at twenty-eight shillings.

Irish Home Rule Bill.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Speaker discusses in its latest issue five points of the proposed Irish Home Rule bill. It says that with regard to the land question the bill will reserve to Parliament for a certain term the sole right of legislation. Regarding the question of the retention of Irish members at Westminster, it is not unlikely that the Government will meet the question by adopting Mr. Parnell's suggestion not to touch it until the question has been settled of the veto that might be placed in the Lord Lieutenant. Appointed judges will be retained by the Government for the fixed term of five years, which term will also be fixed for the complete transformation of the public into a civil body. It is hoped that England will deal liberally with the Irish, and thus contribute to the Irish revenue, as Ireland will have no power to impose protective duties. The Speaker's article is believed to have been inspired by a member of the Government or some one near Mr. Gladstone.

Natural Gas Explosion.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 7.—Three persons were killed and two badly injured in a natural gas explosion at the south side at 5 o'clock this morning. The dead are Thos. Duffy, a mill worker, aged 32, Mrs. Duffy, his wife and a 3-year-old daughter. The injured are Duffy's 9-year-old son, badly burned, and Wm. Harris, badly burned. The house was destroyed. It was a two-story brick, at 1010 Sarah street, occupied by Duffy and Harris. The Duffy family were asleep when the explosion occurred. The Harris family woke at 6 o'clock and Harris went to the cellar for coal, struck a match and the explosion followed. The force of the explosion was so great that the house fell and everything in it was demolished. The dead were removed to the morgue and the injured to the hospital.

May Cause a War.

LOCKPORT, N.Y., Jan. 7.—George Salter, aged 32, a citizen of Great Britain, is about to sue the City of Niagara Falls for $15,000 damages, and Niagara county for $10,000. He has also placed the matter in the hands of Sir Julian Pauncefote, British Minister to Washington. Salter was arrested at the instance of his landlady, who charged him before a police justice with defrauding her, and was sent to jail in that city for 30 days. He was put in the chain gang and compelled to break stone. On Dec. 22nd he was discharged. He says he advanced his landlady $48 and had only boarded out $20 when she had him arrested.

Levanted with the Cash.

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Mr. Franklin McLeay, of Wilson Barrett's company, is the victim of misplaced confidence, and now mourns the loss of $75, while a young man, into whose charge he gave it, is now being looked for by the police. The young man was engaged here as a dresser, and said he came from Montreal. On Thursday evening, before going on the stage, Mr. McLeay gave him $75 to take care of, and that was the last seen of him. The young man had been in McLeay's employ a fortnight.

Revenged Themselves.

QUEBEC, Jan. 7.—The carters standing near the St. Louis hotel played a mean trick on the police on Thursday night in revenge for the latter driving them from the hotel doors. They started a report that a man had murdered his wife and family at the far end of the Cape. Enquiries began to come in at the central police station, and as soon as the men got in front of their beats they were ordered out to investigate the rumor and when they got back to the station with their reports it was time to go out on the beat again.

Fooling With a Gun.

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Patrick Fenton, a dwarf, who was tried at the assizes yesterday on the charge of shooting Minnie Davis on Christmas morning while carelessly handling a rifle, was found guilty of manslaughter.

Merely Fooled With Them.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—The Dominion Express Company's messenger met two tramps on the Toronto express on Thursday night, when near Myrtle, a small village 40 miles east of Toronto. For a joke the messenger pointed his revolver at the two wanderers. A report was started in Montreal that the messenger was held up by tramps, who tried to rob him of $10,000. Mr. Stewart, superintendent of the company, says such a rumor is untrue.

Chile and Argentine.

MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 7.—Two battalions armed with Mauser rifles have been sent to the frontier of the Argentine province of Corrientes. The meeting of the Intendente with the belligerents has amounted to nothing as yet, and it is not generally expected that a settlement will be reached. It is feared that the Federal troops will have to fight before the matter is settled. Minister Auchornia, of the Argentine cabinet, sympathises with the Corrientes revolutionists, and it is said will resign his portfolio.

Papers in Buenos Ayres are unanimous in a demand for the recall of Senor Guerrero, the Chilian minister, whose presence, they say, tends to disturb the friendly relations which exist between the two countries.

A bill providing for the payment of $25,000 in gold to the California lawyers who acted for the Junta de Cobierno in the Itata case, has passed the Chilian congress.

Harveyized Armor Plates.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Jan. 7.—The navy department is having made in the government department of the iron works here, a fourteen-inch Harveyized armor plate, which will be tested next week at Indian Head, when specially prepared chilled Holtzer projectiles, with maximum firing charges, will be discharged at it at short range. If the plate stands the test as satisfactorily as the last ten-inch Harveyized plate, this form of armor will be used entirely in the construction of American war vessels to built out of the $100,000,000 appropriation for naval defense.

Trampled by a Horse.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—Mr. George F. Phelps, the well known fish and game dealer, was somewhat seriously injured by a runaway team this morning. The accident was caused by the bursting of a girth on a horse owned and driven by Mr. Joseph Clearihue. The runaway animal ran against Mr. Phelps and trampled him severely. The injured man was carried into a house, where he lay unconscious for twenty minutes.

Sir John's Statue.

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—At a meeting of the Macdonald memorial committee yesterday, the design of the proposed statue was presented. Additional subscriptions amounting to over $5000 were reported, mostly from Toronto. A letter from Lord Lorne was read congratulating the committee on having secured a competent Canadian artist to execute the statue.

Sugar on the Jump.

HALIFAX, Jan. 7.—Sugar has gone up in price 12½ to 16 cents per hundred pounds. The former increase is on granulated the latter on yellow. Shortness in the prospective supply is the cause. This means an eighth of a cent advance. It is estimated that there will be 140,000 tons less raised in beet root, and there will also be a diminution in the supply of cane.

Different Valuations.

TACOMA, Jan. 7.—The famous McBride school section, which has been before the public since 1883, has just been decided on appeal by John C. McBride, by the general land office. The decision takes 120 acres of school land in this city's principal avenue, valued at $350,000, for mineral purposes. McBride says it is worth $5,000,000.

The Crew Saved.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The pilot boat Edward Cooper No. 20, of New York, is reported missing. She was lost on December 23rd about 410 miles from Sandy Hook. The Dutch steamer La Campana, this morning, from Amsterdam, brought the crew of the missing pilot boat, ten in number. The entire crew were landed at Stapleton.

More Royal Grants.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The rumor regarding the marriage of another of the Prince of Wales' daughters to a subject, Lord Rosebery, is strongly gaining ground, and it is thought that the public announcement will be made at the same time as Prince George of Wales' engagement to Princess Mary of Teck.

A Careless Tramway Company.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—The trackmen threaten to take action against the city on account of the state of the streets, which the street railways have rendered practically impassable by clearing their rails and leaving the snow on each side piled up a foot above the track.

An Old Montrealer.

MONTREAL, can. 7.—The death is announced at Eltham, England, of Mrs. Greenshields, for many years a prominent and much-respected citizen of Montreal, and well known to Montrealers of the last generation.

Advertising on the Sky.

An electrical genius in London has opened the way for a new industry. He projects his advertisements upon the nether surface of the murky firmament of the British metropolis, and his experiments have been, to quote the Daily Telegraph, "deplorably successful." "Our own hope," says the Globe, "is that if the practice of advertising in the heavens should become common, the rival advertisers will make such a hotch-potch of each other's announcements that they will have to give up in despair." As the British real estate owner is proverbially tenacious of his proprietary rights, which from a legal point of view undoubtedly extend to, if not beyond the zenith, there is likely to be litigation growing out of the encroachments upon each other's territories of these disfigurers of the empyrean.

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SOUTH WARD CANDIDATES.

They Explain Their Views to the Electors of James Bay at a Meeting Last Evening.

Mayor Beaven Given an Enthusiastic Reception by the James Bay Ratepayers.

The meeting held in the James Bay school house last evening by the candidates for municipal honors in South ward was very well attended. Mr. C. E. Redfern was elected chairman and called upon Ald. Munn to address the meeting.

Ald. Munn said the meeting had been called to give the candidates an opportunity to address the electors. No doubt he had as alderman neglected to do many things that should have been done, but he had not neglected anything willingly. There is a great deal to be done with the revenue, and when what an alderman does is scattered over a large ward it does not make much of a showing. There are about 90 miles of streets in the city, and the council had but $25,000 at their disposal to keep these streets in order. This of course would not go very far. The council of 1892, after wiping out the debt of the city and getting things in order, started with high hopes and for about six months things went along very smoothly. Twenty-five thousand dollars was voted for the streets and bridges, and it was expected that before the end of the year more money would be available for the same purpose. But unfortunately smallpox broke out and it cost the city a lot of money to handle the epidemic. A by-law that he had framed, to borrow $25,000 for streets and bridges, was passed by the ratepayers, but on account of the local improvement by-law this money could only be used for repairing the streets. The by-law, however, accomplished some good, the streets being improved and work being given to the unemployed of the city. He was in favor of the local improvement by-law. It was like the European plan at a hotel; you pay for what you get, no more and no less. It was certainly hard that the residents of the new portions of the city had to pay for their own improvements while the older portions had been improved at the expense of the whole city but that difficulty would be overcome. The local improvement system is nothing new. It has been in use in Toronto for 25 years, but there the city paid one-third of the cost of the improvement while the property holders paid the other two-thirds. It had worked satisfactorily in other cities and there was no reason why it should not do the same in Victoria, as it can be applied here just as fairly as elsewhere. It worked, however, more satisfactorily in the construction of sewers, as in the business portion of the city the sewers had to be buried very deep to drain the cellars, which made the cost double what it would be in the residential portion of the city where there is no need of them being so deep. It would be therefore unfair that the people of the residential portion of the city should have to pay for a deep sewer in the centre of the city while the sewer they used cost so much less. With the local improvement by-law, those who need a deep sewer pay for it and those who do not need a deep sewer do not have to pay for one. If he was a single tax man he would support the local improvement by-law as it only taxed the land, not the improvements, the owner of an empty lot being assessed as much as the owner of a building. There were a great many who opposed the system but he thought that if they looked into it they would find that it worked all right. He did not think there was anything to prevent the council from paying a portion of the cost of an improvement made under the system. Then if the property holders do not want the work done all they have to say is no, and the work is not done. Under the old system there was a certain amount of scrambling amongst the aldermen to obtain appropriations for work in their respective wards. This would be done away with by the local improvement system, as the people received just what improvements they pay for.

Senator Macdonald asked Ald. Munn if it would not be very expensive to manage the system. A staff of clerks would have to be employed to keep the accounts that would be opened with the many different parties interested, and no doubt there would be some trouble in collecting the assessments, which would extend over 20 or 30 years.

Ald. Munn—Of course the accounts would have to be kept, but other cities did not seem to have any difficulty in that direction where the improvement was met in one payment the bookkeeping would be light. There is a great deal of necessity for a better lighting system. For three years the aldermen had been endeavoring to have a by-law passed authorizing them to increase the electric lighting plant, but so far they had not been successful. The cost of maintaining a good system of lighting would be very little more than it costs to maintain a poor system. Something will have to be done this year in this direction. Either a new plant will have to be obtained or a contract entered into with a private company to light the city. There is also need of better fire protection in the residence portions of the city. A number of large buildings had recently been erected in South Ward, and something would have to be done to give them fire protection. An endeavor had been made to place some of the apparatus in the Kingston street hall, but lack of funds blocked the movement. He had taken a great deal of interest in the public parks of the city, and was very sorry that more had not been done to improve them. He would advocate a liberal expenditure on the park, as it was very necessary to have a pleasure ground near the city. Without neglecting Beacon Hill, the citizens should not forget that they have a splendid park at Cedar Hill. He had been speaking to the Hon. J. H. Turner about the parks, and that gentleman had told him that if the city improved the Cedar Hill park, he thought the Government would build a good road around the water front from Dallas road to the Cedar Hill park following the coast line, Oak Bay and Cadboro Bay. This road would connect Beacon Hill, Mount Tolmie and Cedar Hill parks, and make one of the prettiest drives conceivable. When he first entered the council he had advocated the building of a retaining wall across James Bay, and he was still of the opinion that this should be done. In accordance motion of his the city engineer had made a careful examination of James Bay bridge and had reported to the council that it was still good for five years. Notwithstanding this he thought the retaining wall should be begun and the bridge done away with. It had been estimated that a retaining wall built from the west side of Government street across the bay, and then along the water front towards the James Bay Athletic Club would cost $100,000. If this was done the city would have valuable piece of land where the mud flats now are, Government street would be continued right across to Birdcage Walk and there would be a nice espianade on Belleville street. (Applause.) The present bridge originally cost $7500 and $5000 had been spent on it in repairs. In a few days another $2000 would have to be spent on it. If the ratepayers of the South Ward again honored him with their confidence he would give the city affairs all the attention possible.

Senator Macdonald asked Ald. Munn if he was in favor of the tax on improvements.

Ald. Munn thought that the tax should be a very low one. In answer to other questions he stated that he was not in favor of the indiscriminate borrowing of money. For some purposes money would have to be borrowed. In regard to the draining of Superior street, a by-law to do that had been defeated by the people during the past year, but he was certainly in favor of making some move to have the work done.

Ald. Hall was the next speaker. He had just about served his apprenticeship, and he thought it took an alderman at least a year to become acquainted with the working of the council. He had spent a great deal of time for the city's interests. The mayor and aldermen had done their best to prevent the smallpox epidemic. Seattle had been very cautious, but they had an epidemic as bad as Victoria's was. He voted for the local improvement by-law, but since had come to the conclusion that the by-law should be modified. The city should pay a third of the cost of opening a street. The citizens should not be taxed and then made to pay for improvements made to the streets on which their property borders. The tax on improvements should be abolished, although he thought it would take some time to make the change. The electric light plant should be improved and extended. He thought that the principal streets should be paved, as at present the rock put on the streets was soon transformed into mud. He would be in favor of borrowing money to do work of this kind. It is a very necessary thing to have surface drainage, and it was a pity that the surface drainage by-law was defeated. Some help should be extended to any railway company that would build to the city. Six and a half miles of sewerage had been built for about $260,000. The surveyor was now at work on plans for the extension of the sewerage system to James Bay and other portions of the city.

Mr. A. McTavish came before the electors with a blank sheet. He must say that the council of 1892 had had a great deal of trouble with smallpox, etc. The papers had quoted him as saying that he was in favor of increasing salaries. He did not mean to say this. He believed that a good servant deserved good wages. Taxation should be kept within bounds, and the tax on improvements should be lowered, but he thought that if it was abolished it would decrease the revenue too much. The city should pay a percentage of the cost of opening streets. He thought it a pity that the sewerage by-law had been defeated last year. (Applause.) The city should be honeycombed with sewers, as if it were not for our west wind there would always be epidemics here. The waterworks and electric light should be improved. The fire department has been proved to be pretty perfect, but there should be more fire halls. A good vote should be made annually towards keeping up and improving the public library. The streets need some repairing and James Bay bridge needs replacing. The flats should be filled in, but not before a retaining wall was built to prevent the mud dumped there being taken to sea. Money should be borrowed for improving the waterworks, etc., but not for making repairs to the streets.

Mr. A. Henderson had been asked by the citizens' committee to stand for South ward and he had accepted. The candidates of the association are not tied down to any platform. The main question is the subject of sewerage. The quicker the city extends the system of sewerage the better. (Applause.) It was better to trust to the professional men who had made sewers a study all their lives, and we should not say that the sewers are faulty until we know that they are. A sum of money should be borrowed to extend the sewers. The local improvement system, he thought, could not be applied to the building of sewers. It might be that a sewer was needed on Yates street from Government street up. The property owners on the first three blocks might not want a sewer, while the residents of the blocks further up might want the sewer. The local improvement by-law could be used to construct streets and sidewalks, and it was very necessary that the main streets of the city should be paved. A loan for the improvement of the waterworks would be a good investment. It seems a pity that so much had been spent on the city market. At present it is a burden on the city, and something should be done to make it pay. He would like to see the James Bay mud flats filled in. The property reclaimed would pay for the work done. Douglas and Government streets should run right across the flats. He believed that the principal of bonussing was a wrong one. The people should not pay to build one man up when another man had to build himself up. However, in some cases it was necessary for the city to give a bonus. The public park should be improved and other squares laid out. It would pay the city to improve the drives and pleasure resorts around the city. (Applause.) An endeavor should be made to secure the Indian reserve. The city is becoming more and more exposed to disease from the China steamers. The Dominion Government should be prevailed upon to improve the quarantine. The Government might have spent the drill shed money on a quarantine station. Victoria needed the protection from disease more than she needed the protection which the drill shed would provide. The city of Victoria should receive some recognition from the Dominion Government.

Mr. Joshua Holland asked the speaker if he had seen the Council's statement showing that the receipts from the market were $1625 while the expenditure was $1005.

Mr. Henderson was surprised to hear this. He asked those present for their support at the coming election.

Mayor Beaven was glad that Mr. Holland had asked the last speaker if he had read the city's financial statement which appeared in the TIMES. There was a certain misapprehension regarding the market. He did not suppose that there was a gentleman in the hall who knew before he read the financial statement that the city had not lost money on the market. In the course of time he hoped that the market would be a source of revenue to the city. It did not, of course, pay the amount of the interest and the sinking fund, but there was a balance when all other expenses had been paid. There was also an impression that the water works pays a big surplus. This is an erroneous impression altogether. One of the most interesting matters brought up by the previous speakers was the scheme outlined by Ald. Munn to reclaim the James Bay mud flats. There was no doubt that with good management and a little financial aid the city could make a good deal of money by filling in the flats. When on the Sound he took the opportunity of ascertaining how they reclaimed mud flats there. He found that they dredged the harbor and reclaimed the flats at the same time. A retaining wall is built and a big pump goes to work and pumps the mud from the harbor on to the flats. If this was done the city would be well paid. Douglas street could also be extended across the flats and divide the reclaimed land into blocks. Of course no council could do this out of the general revenue so it all rests with the electors who would have to give the council power to borrow the money to do the work. He noticed that all the speakers had sketched schemes for the spending of money but no one had said how the revenue was to be increased. It was all very well to say that they would do all these things. He might say that he would do them all without the funds, but then he would be insulting the intelligence of the audience. Additional light was needed all over the city, but when a by-law had been placed before the citizens they had said "No, we do not want it." It would be seen by the financial statement that the first amount to be taken out of the city revenue is $83,000 on account of the debt. The largest portion of the taxes are paid before the first of December, which is near the end of the financial year. The act therefore gives the council power to borrow money from the bank at a certain rate of interest in anticipation of the revenue. By comparing this year's statement with last year's it will be seen that much less interest was paid on the overdraft during 1892 than was paid during 1891. This was due to the good management of the board of aldermen who deserve great credit for it, as quite an amount was

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MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

The Mayor and Aldermen.

Public notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, on the 9th day of January, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the 12th day of January, 1893, for Mayor at the Police Court Room, City Hall; for Alderman for the North Ward, at the City Council Chamber in the City Hall; for Alderman for the Centre Ward, at Barnes' Block, Bastion Square; for Alderman for the South Ward, at 27 Government street, being on the East side; of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The polls will be opened at 8 a.m., and close at 4 p.m.

Given under my hand at Victoria, the 2nd day of January, 1893.

W. K. RULL,
Returning Officer.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

Election for a Board of School Trustees.

Public notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, Victoria, on the Ninth day of January, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing six persons as members of the Board of Trustees for Victoria City School District.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll shall be opened on the 12th day of January, 1893, for the election of the said Board, at the Police Court Room, in the City Hall, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m., at which time and place each elector who is duly qualified to vote for Mayor for the City of Victoria, will be entitled to cast his vote for six candidates for Member of the Board of School Trustees, but may only give one vote for any one candidate; of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

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Notice is hereby given that the Reports of the City Engineer and Assessor, which have been adopted by the Council, are open for inspection, at the City Assessor's Office, Douglas Street.

Any person objecting to the proposed improvements can sign and present to the Council a petition against either of them, at any time within 15 days of the first publication of this notice.

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SOUTH WARD CANDIDATES.

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saved for the city in this way. The legal expenses during 1892 were $1200 less than they were in 1891, although the council of 1892 passed more by-laws and amended more than the previous council. This shows that the city's money was well expended. Ald. Lovell and Hall of the finance committee had spent a great deal of time over the accounts and had dealt with them as business men. When a man is elected to the position of alderman he has to make up his mind that he will have to spend a great deal of time at the city hall if he intends to look after the city's business. Ald. Hunter had said that the provisions of the local improvement by-law had been taken from the Municipal Act which he, the mayor, had framed. This was perfectly true, but how did it come about? He placed these provisions in the act because he was convinced when speaking to the electors at the last election that they did not wish to borrow any more money for sewerage purposes. The north ward ratepayers and many in the other wards would have voted against any loan to complete the sewers. The residents of the outside portions of the city naturally enough said, "why $300,000 has already been spent, our property is mortgaged to pay the debt and we have not been benefitted by it." He felt it his duty to devise some means by which the sewers could be built. The principal object was to apply the system to sewerage, but it was so fixed in the act that it could be applied to other improvements. During 1892 a $300,000 sewerage loan by-law was placed before the people. He was sure that if the voters had understood that by-law they would have come to the conclusion that it was the most economical way of sewering the portion of the city for which it was intended. It was understood when the by-law passed the council that the property owners benefitted by the sewers should pay the interest and sinking fund of the loan. This was not mentioned in the by-law because it would have been much easier to negotiate the loan if a clause to that effect was inserted. The by-law provided for the borrowing of $300,000 for 50 years at 4 per cent. There is no scheme so economical. When the by-law was defeated the only remedy left to the Council was to apply the local improvement system, which they did. The system is in vogue all over the American continent, and he and the aldermen had studied the matter thoroughly before passing the by-law. It would be impossible to improve the city without applying the system. He had been in accord with it 25 years ago, but the people were not in favor of it at that time. He tried to incorporate it in the first municipal act, but without success. If it had been adopted at that time it would have been far easier to carry it out. (Applause.) The early residents of the city had to pay for the improvements to their streets out of their own pockets, but now the city pays for them. He had been told by many that they had voted against the $300,000 sewerage by-law because they did not believe that the system was a success. What the next Council should do was to have all the houses along the line of the present sewer connected with the system, and then the sewers could be thoroughly tested. Of course, everybody knew that clear water would run through any sewer. If the system proved a success, after having been thoroughly tested, the citizens would be encouraged to go on with the work. (Applause.) There are many things that could be done to improve the city, and he thought that it took an alderman a year at least to find out what is really needed. The retiring aldermen had worked very assiduously. They had held a great many meetings and done a great deal of laborious work, more in fact than was incumbent upon the legislature. He knew he had an opponent in the present contest and he knew the gentleman personally, but he had not yet had an opportunity of meeting him on a public platform, therefore he did not know what his views are.

A voice—"Who is he?"

Mayor Beaven, continuing, said that he saw in the papers that a gentleman was advocating his opponent's cause by connecting him with the water works. He did not like to speak behind a man's back, but he would just like to meet Mr. Dalby on the platform, when he, the Mayor, would tell something about Mr. Dalby's experience with the water works. The only man who had yet spoken against him, was one of his oldest friends in the province, John Grant. The city had been very unfortunate during the year, having been visited by a small-pox epidemic. Would they believe it? The city had not one inch of ground on which it could build a quarantine hospital. What is needed is a place where the hospital can be erected without molestation from the courts, and a good building that could be successfully fumigated should be erected. This will be one of the first things that the next council will have to do. He agreed with much of what Mr. Henderson said in regard to quarantine. Victoria being a seaport town was, of course, visited by ships and steamers from foreign ports. The Dominion Government has a very competent quarantine officer stationed here, but he is very likely hampered by the Dominion laws. The China steamers bring a large number of Chinamen to the province. The Government gets the $50 head tax and the city gets the Chinamen and the disease that they bring from their country. (Applause.) The legislators should be made to place a $500 head tax on Chinamen and then the white laborers would be benefitted and Chinese would be kept out of the city. (Applause.)

Dr. Milne thought the candidates should promise to extend Douglas street across the mud flats. At present there is only a narrow bridge between James Bay and the centre of the city, which often makes it very awkward for the residents of James Bay. Something should be done to do away with the bridge. (Applause.) The meeting then adjourned after a vote of thanks to the chairman had been passed.

THE MINISTERS SPOKE

But Said Very Little at the Toronto Board of Trade Banquet.

TORONTO, Jan. 5.—The Toronto Board of Trade banquet to-night in the Horticultural Pavilion Music Hall, was an unqualified success in every way. Covers were laid for 650 guests. The hall was very tastefully decorated, the prevailing colors being red, white and blue. The guests' table was ornamented with a model railroad train with a station, semaphores, telegraph poles, a number of model yachts and steamboats, with other equally apt tokens of trade and commerce. The galleries were crowded with ladies and their escorts.

The principal speech was by Sir John Thompson, who, in referring to the trade question, said he trusted that they would follow a policy which would make the people south of them "the best of neighbors, but," added he, "please God they shall never be anything else but neighbors." What the policy was to be, it would be well to wait and see what the new government across the line would do, though they did not, of course, need to look elsewhere for a policy. The policy of the future might be reciprocity with the States, but if it was it must be upon better terms than was offered to himself and his colleagues 11 months ago, when they were asked to forget the ties of the empire and adopt discredited McKinleyism, which the States themselves were about to cast off. He had been asked whether he considered the Nation Policy perfection. He replied unhesitatingly, "No, he knew no tariff system which was perfection."

The minister of finance, Mr. Foster, replied to the toast of "Agriculture, Manufacture and Commerce." He went into details of figures and official returns to show the steady advance of Canada during several years, quoting considerably from the blue books. He argued that the value of technical schools is in training men who enter upon agriculture, manifacture and commercial pursuits, and in conclusion expressed his strong disapproval of any idea of Canadian independence, which would be suicidal in the extreme. Individually he was a British subject and refused to be separated from the noble Empire, her traditions, her present prosperity and future prospects of greatness.

The "Sister Provinces" was the next toast presented, Hon. Wilfrid Laurier replying. He received a cordial reception. In the course of his speech Mr. Laurier said that a writer (Mr. Goldwin Smith) had recently said that the Liberal was a party distinctly American to day, as the Tories were anti-American and European. He (the speaker) took this, his first opportunity since this utterance, to deny the truth of that statement. Neither party was distinctly American, but distinctly Canadian, and resolved not to give half the continent of America to anyone else.

Mr. W. C. Van Horne, president of the Canadian Pacific railway, responded to the toast, "Railways and Shipping Interests." He dwelt upon the necessity of a faster Atlantic service and demonstrated by his company's experience with their Pacific boats that a fast line would draw trade and pay dividends. He declared it possible without any great revolution of present conditions, to carry passengers from the wharf of Quebec to Euston Station, London, in five days and 12 hours, and said that such a service would add 10 per cent. to the value of the exportable produce of the Dominion. This was not a party question and he trusted that public men and journals advocating a faster service would no longer be charged with being in the pay of the Canadian Pacific railway. His company were not anxious to undertake the work. They would rather one of the existing steamship companies would do it, or if the Canadian Pacific Company did take part in it, he hoped that the Grand Trunk railway would join them. But one thing was certain, the service had got to come by some means. Mr. Van Horne was heard with the closest attention and frequently applauded.

Delahaye Tells His Story.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—M. Delahaye publishes this morning an important letter narrating how he received the commission to expose the Panama scandal. A certain person came to him, he says, with a fac simile of the original list of 172 senators and deputies who had accepted Panama bribes. The list was shown to him, however, upon the condition that he should not reveal the names, but merely take steps to compel the Chamber of Deputies itself to undertake the exposure. M. Delahaye says that the subsequent events amply confirmed all the statements of his informant. He adds that much more remains to be revealed. Several newspapers this morning predict the arrest of more deputies and senators on Monday. The police were busy between 1 and 3 o'clock this morning destroying incendiary placards posted by the anarchists. These placards called upon the people to rise at once, seize arms, destroy their corrupt oppressors and seize the reins of government. A feeling of alarm was apparent throughout the city last evening. General Saussier, military governor of the city, has taken every possible precaution.

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NOTES FROM THE EAST.

Cold Weather—Orangemen and the Premier—The Howe Murder.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—At the criminal assize this morning Patrick Fenton was found guilty on a charge of manslaughter preferred against him in connection with the shooting of Minnie Davis at Highland Creek on Christmas day. At the assizes here yesterday in the case of Herbert Britton, on a charge of manslaughter arising out of the death of William Jones, Eglinton, the grand jury returned no bill.

Three ice boats and 15 men got into the open water while sailing a race in the storm on Toronto bay yesterday, and George Ackroyd was seriously injured.

ST. JOHN, Jan. 6.—Major Howe, of Boston, whose wife was shot and killed while the couple were in a canoe on the Tobique River on a fishing trip, is in town. A man of the name of Phillipine is in the penitentiary for killing Mrs. Howe, the evidence being that Phillipine claimed that he had been wronged in not being permitted to fish in the river. A Fredericton, N.B., paper has printed a story to the effect that it was not Phillipine, but Major Howe himself, who committed the murder. Howe, it is said, is here to institute proceedings for libel, and has retained Attorney-General Blair as his attorney.

LEAMINGTON, Ont., Jan. 6.—The Leamington Orange lodge has passed resolutions disapproving of Grand Master Wallace's acceptance of a Government office which deprives him of a voice in Sir John Thompson's Roman Catholic cabinet, and denouncing Mackenzie Bowell's exhibition of the white feather in accepting a senatorship given him to get him out of the way.

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—Yesterday was the coldest day here this season, the thermometer reaching 18 below zero.

BEAVERTON, Jan. 6.—J. M. Gordon, general merchant, seriously injured by a train, has had his left arm amputated.

OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—The net debt has decreased $616,000 in the month. The surplus of revenue over expenditure for the six months of the current fiscal year was $4,716,000, or an increase of $800,000 in the month.

Argument on the Manitoba school question will be heard at the full meeting of the Privy Council on the 21st instant.

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ELECTION CARDS.

The Mayoralty.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS:

A year ago you elected me to the position of Mayor. With the aid of the Aldermen the condition of civic affairs has been much improved, but much remains to be accomplished.

Feeling confident that the experience gained can be exercised beneficially to the city, I have decided to be again a candidate and respectfully solicit your support and influence.

ROBERT BEAVEN.

December 30th, 1892.

To the Electors of North Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I again offer myself as a candidate for Alderman at the coming election to the Municipal Council, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

M. HUMBER.

Dec. 31, 1892.

To the Electors of Central Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—At the earnest solicitation of numerous friends and voters, I again offer myself as a candidate for the the above ward, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

ja4-td S. T. STYLES.

To the Electors of Central Ward.

At the request of many electors in our ward I have decided to become a candidate for Alderman for the coming election and earnestly solicit your support and influence.

HUGH MACDONALD.

December 31st, 1892. ja3

To the Electors of North Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—At the earnest request of numerous electors I will again be a candidate for Alderman in the Municipal Council at the coming election. Trusting that my past services in the interest of the ward and city have been satisfactory, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

EDWARD BRAGG.

To the Electors of North Ward.

It is my intention to be a candidate for Alderman at the forthcoming Municipal Election, and I solicit your vote and influence.

H. S. FAIRALL.

To the Electors of North Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—At the request of numerous electors I again come before you as a candidate for Alderman in the Municipal Council in the coming election. If my past services in the interests of the ward and city have been satisfactory to you, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

de31-td JAMES BAKER.

To the Electors of North Ward.

I shall be a candidate for Alderman at the coming election and solicit your support.

MUNROE MILLER.

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To the Electors of the North Ward.

I intend to be a candidate for alderman at the coming municipal election, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

dec17 A. G. McCANDLESS.

To the Electors of North Ward.

I will be a candidate for election to the Municipal Council for the North Ward, and solicit your votes and influence.

G. C. GEROW.

Victoria, Dec. 21.

To the Electors of Victoria.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—By request of numerous friends in the North Ward, I offer myself as a Candidate for School Trustee for the ensuing year, and solicit your votes and influence.

de23-td GEORGE GLOVER.

To the Electors of South Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—Having my whole time to spare in attending to the duties of an Alderman, I beg to again announce myself as a Candidate for South Ward at the coming Municipal Election, and respectfully solicit your support and votes.

JOHN HALL.

Niagara Street, Dec. 22nd, 1892.—tf

To the Electors of the North Ward.

I will be a candidate for alderman at the coming municipal election, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

d24 THOMAS SHAW.

To the Electors of North Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I am a candidate for election to the Municipal Council as Alderman, and respectfully solicit your support. As public meetings to be held in the Ward, I will fully explain my views on Municipal questions.

d27 B. H. WEST.

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VICTORIA	De. 8:00 A M	De. 2:30 P M		Ar. 12:24 P M	Ar. 5:58 P M	78
RUSSELL'S	" 8:04	" 2:34	1	" 12:20	" 5:54	77
ESQUIMALT	" 8:14	" 2:44	4	" 12:10	" 5:44	74
GOLDSTREAM	" 8:39	" 3:09	11	" 11:45 A M	" 5:19	67
SUMMIT SIDING	" 9:14	" 3:39	20	" 11:10	" 4:50	58
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 9:31	" 4:04	26	" 10:50	" 4:31	50
COBBLE HILL	" 9:41	" 4:14	31	" 10:40	" 4:14	47
McPHERSON'S	" 9:57	" 4:29	35	10:27	3:58	43
KOKSILAH	" 10:07	" 4:39	38	10:17	" 3:49	40
DUNCAN'S	" 10:12	" 4:44	40	10:12	" 3:44	38
SOMENOS	" 10:22	" 4:54	43	10:02	" 3:34	35
CHEMAINUS	" 10:48	" 5:16	52	9:36	" 3:12	30
OYSTER BAY SID'G	" 11:09	" 5:33	59	9:15	" 2:55	19
NANAIMO	Ar. 11:50 / De. 11:59	" 6:14	73	8:34 / 8:25	" 2:14	5
WELLINGTON	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 6:29	73	Lv. 8:10	De. 1:59	

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Empress of India	....	Oct. 16, 1892
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Empress of India	Dec. 21, "	Jan. 9, 1893
Empress of Japan	Jan. 18, 1893	Feb. 6, "
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ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE. Victoria Council No. 29 R. T. of T., meets every Monday night in the St. Andrew's Society Hall, Blanchard Street, at 8 p.m. Visiting members welcome. Select Degree meets 1st Wednesday in each month. A. H. MATTHEW, G. SUTHERLAND, S.C. ap12 R. Sec.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY. The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS. Court Vancouver No. 5755, A.O.F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month in Foresters' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited. fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. ja16 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

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FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. oc19 E. PFERDNER, K. of R. & S.

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

NORTH WARD.

Meetings of Candidates.

Meetings of candidates for the Board of Aldermen will be held in the above Ward at the following places on the dates named. All candidates are particularly requested to be present:

SATURDAY, 7th—In the Odd Fellows' Hall, Spring Ridge.

TUESDAY, 10th—In the Work Estate School House.

The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock each evening. ja6

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Vancouver & Quadra Lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple, Douglas Street, on Sunday, January 8th, at 1.30 p. m. sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother Thomas Harding.

Members of Victoria Columbia Lodge, No. 1, and sojourning brethren in good standing are cordially invited to attend.

By order of the W. M. R. A. BROWN, ja6 Secretary.

A. O. U. W.

A meeting of the above Order will be held in the Pioneer Hall, Broad St., Saturday evening next, 7th January, at 8 o'clock. Very important business. Every member of the local lodges is urgently requested to attend. By order. H. JEWELL, ja6-2t Recorder.

The Next Tri-Annual Examination —OF THE— British Columbia Medical Council Takes place in the City of Victoria, —on— TUESDAY, the 10th Day of JANUARY NEXT, Commencing at 9 o'clock a. m. G. L. MILNE, de28-2w Registrar and Secretary.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the Sixth Annual Meeting of the British Columbia Fire Insurance Co'y will be held at the Company's Office, 64 Yates Street, Victoria, on Thursday, January 19th, 1893, at four p.m., when the annual report of the company will be presented. Members of the Company are requested to attend. December 16th, 1892. WM. DALBY, de17 1m Manager.

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A STRONG CAST OF PRINCIPALS: Miss Laura Millard, Primma Donna Soprano, last year principal of the "Little Tycoon Co." Miss Julia Calhoun, Mezzo Soprano; Miss Nellie Hartley, late of the Hess Opera Co.; Miss Carolyn Maxwell, Miss Knox, Miss Beroine; Mr. Martin Pache, last season principal tenor of the Emma Juch Opera Co.; Mr. Kirkland Calhoun, Comedian; Mr. Douglas Flint, Comedian, formerly of the "Blue Beard Jr, Co.;" Mr. Frank Ringsdale, Mr. Otis Thayer, Mr. Huntington.

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THE EX-POLICE MAGISTRATE AS A CANDIDATE FOR ALDERMANIC HONORS.

TO THE EDITOR:—Some few months since Mr. Belyea filled the office of P. M. ably and efficiently, but owing to the insufficiency of leisure at his disposal he resigned the appointment, though the salary was $2400 per annum. Mr. Belyea now comes to ask the electors of the central ward to send him to represent their interests at the next council, to do which—if recent utterances of the ex-aldermen are true—will absorb far more time than the morning trip to the police court, which trip should have been, and doubtless was, beneficial to a member of a profession whose habits are of necessity somewhat sedentary. But the salary in this new capacity will only be $200 per annum, and men are usually actuated by motives sometimes mercenary, sometimes ambitious; it may be the latter, as it certainly cannot be the former. Ambition for power, certainly not professional or social status, may be the motive. If so, to what end will the power be used? What machinery will it drive? Mr. Belyea may think well to inform his hearers on this point at the next ward meeting which he will have the honor of addressing, for I hear many are anxious to know.

BLUE NOSE.

Denounces the Encyclical.

ROME, Jan. 5.—The Courier Del Matino says the leading topic at Rome is the fiasco of Mgr. Satolli's mission from the Vatican to the United States. The Courier article says: Mgr. Satolli's manner has excited discontent among the American bishops, who caused the curia to understand that they will not tolerate the arrogance of the envoy. The Vatican, therefore, for fear of causing greater friction, will be obliged to recall Mgr. Satolli instead of having him remain in America to represent the Pope at the Chicago World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Archbishop Ireland in an interview this afternoon denounced the alleged encyclical letter going the rounds of the country purporting to be from the Pope, as spurious and false in every particular. The document represents the Pope as calling upon the priests and laymen of the United States to use their influence as citizens of America in securing for the Pope complete control over the temporalities of this country.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 5.—The interesting fact is ascertained from an unquestionable source of information, that the European mail delivered at the Catholic university to-day brought to Mgr. Satolli, Papal delegate, instructions broadening and widening his powers, and imposing upon him new duties and responsibilities which must necessarily occupy his attention to the exclusion of all but the most urgent business for some time to come.

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The Daily Times.

MANITOBA'S CASE.

A few days ago Mr. Goldwin Smith, when talking of immigration matters, said:—

If Manitoba and the Northwest want to be peopled and to prosper let them cultivate political independence. At the present they allow themselves to be bribed or bullied into the support of a policy of isolation which they know to be their bane. They actually sent up representatives to Ottawa to vote for the retention of a railway monopoly by which they were being ruined, and they were set free, not by their own effort, but by the interposition of the Home Government through the Governor-General.

It was certainly remarkable that Manitoba should have persisted in sending men to Ottawa to vote for the Government that imposed a railway monopoly upon her, while all the time complaining grievously about that monopoly. It is equally remarkable to see Manitoba and the Northwest now sending a solid contingent of members to support the Government that fleeces them unmercifully through the agency of the tariff. The explanation is that which Goldwin Smith so pithily gives—the people allow themselves to be fleeced because the Government doles out bribes with the hand that is not engaged in the fleecing operation. But another point of interest in Mr. Goldwin Smith's remarks is his direct statement that the Manitobans were freed from the railway monopoly not by their own efforts but by the interposition of the Imperial Government through the Governor-General. The Winnipeg Free Press supplements this with the further information that the intervention of the Imperial Government was caused by representations made to it by Goldwin Smith himself, a fact which his modesty would not allow him to include in his statement. It is not generally known that the Imperial Government did intervene on behalf of Manitoba at Mr. Smith's instance, so that his own statement and that of the Free Press will come as a surprise to a good many people. It is probably too much to say, though, that the railway monopoly was removed solely through this cause. The practical rebellion of the people of Manitoba, the efforts of their one faithful representative at Ottawa, Mr. Watson, had something to do with the removal; so had the impression which the Dominion Government at last received that the idea of crushing down the Manitobans perpetually was repugnant to the people of Canada in general. On the other hand there can be no doubt whatever that the monopoly would never have been abolished if the Dominion Government's unassisted intelligence and sense of fairness had been left to decide the matter. The intervention of the Imperial Government may have hastened the remedy in the case of the railway monopoly, but the people of the prairies must necessarily depend on themselves for a remedy for their fiscal burdens. There are plenty of indications that they will exert themselves to procure a remedy for their tariff ills when next election comes, and that they will be neither bribed nor bullied into another surrender of their independence.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Poor Sir Adolphe Caron speaking of the election of Mr. Tarte in L'Islet, said that "he and his friends fought their best, but had been disappointed." Langevin and Chapleau will find some amusement in that utterance.

Premier Thompson and Finance Minister Foster seem to have used a good many words in the conveyance of a very small amount of information at the banquet of the Toronto Board of Trade. At least that is the impression to be gained from the telegraphic report. Only one thing in Sir John's speech was significant, namely his admission that he did not regard the "national policy" as perfect. This was a considerable admission for a Tory minister to make, and it indicates that Sir John appreciates to some extent the state of public opinion. He does not appear, however, to have laid down any particular plan for the reformation of the policy. The public, we are afraid, will not be much the wiser for the two ministerial deliverances at Toronto.

IS A WHOLESALE TRADER.

Magistrate Macrae Gives Judgment Against T. B. Pearson This Morning.

T. B. Pearson is, in the eyes of the law, a wholesaler. At least that is the judgment of Police Magistrate Macrae, delivered in the police court this morning. Mr. Pearson was fined $25 and ordered to pay his $50 license fee. The text of the judgment is: "In this case Mr. T. B. Pearson is charged on the information of Mr. E. C. Smith, Assistant Collector for the city, with carrying on the business of a wholesale trader without a license in that behalf in terms of "The Revenue By-law. 1889."

It was proved that the defendant was engaged in supplying in large and small parcels to clothiers, dealers in gents' furnishings and other tradesmen, goods manufactured by him, to be retailed by them to their customers. It was not proved that he was in the habit of selling goods in the form in which they were purchased by him, or that he sold directly to consumers.

Beyond question Mr. Pearson is a trader, for he makes a business of buying and selling. Equally beyond question, to my mind, he is a "wholesale trader" within the meaning of Bacon, V.C. in Treacher v. Treacher, W. N. (74), 5, "As a general rule wholesale merchants deal only with persons who buy to sell again, while retail merchants deal with consumers." Within the meaning of Begbie, C.J., in Smith v. Heath (Colonist, 13th August, 1892), "There is no doubt that a merchant who sells in large quantities to another trader in order that the second may distribute piecemeal to the actual consumers is a wholesale merchant." And within the meaning of the by-law.

Wholesale traders who happen to be also manufacturers are not exempted either by the municipal act or the revenue by-law from the obligation to pay the license fee.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Where, When and by Whom Divine Worship Will be Held To-morrow.

Dr. Campbell will preach in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow morning and evening. His evening subject will be, "Has man a soul? If he has, is it immortal?" At the conclusion Mr. Brown will sing, "A little talk with Jesus."

The inhabitants of Oak Bay have petitioned that the Rev. A. J. Greer open a Church of England mission in that district, with which request he has complied, pending the new bishop's arrival. For the present a house has been rented on Oak Bay avenue, first house from the car line junction, in which services will be held. The opening services will be held to-morrow, Sunday, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Centennial Methodist church, Gorge road—James H. White, pastor. Services, 11 a.m., Rev. G. H. Morden; 7 p.m., pastor will preach; subject, "Responsibility of citizenship;" 2:30 p.m., Sunday school.

Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. J. E. Coombes, pastor, will continue the evangelistic services: 10 a.m., prayer service; 11 a.m., regular service, subject, Backsliding; 3 p.m., Sunday school evangelistic service; 6:15, Young People's prayer meeting; 7 p.m., regular service, subject, Lessons on the impassable gulf.

Emmanuel Baptist Church, services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Rev. P. McF. Macleod pastor. Services morning and evening at the usual hours.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, Rev. D. MacRae pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Pandora Avenue Methodist Church, pastor, Rev. C. Watson. Services morning and evening.

James Bay Methodist Church, Rev. J. Wilkinson pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal, Bishop Cridge pastor. Services at the usual hours.

Methodist Church, Esquimalt, services at 10:30 a.m.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

TO THE EDITOR,—The slow spirit on the school question in this city is proverbial. Is there nothing else to discuss at our public meetings but sewerage and finance? Where are our school trustees? Have they got nothing to say about the education of our children and our present ward schools? Have they got no platform? Has this state of things to go on as one writer says, from the flood to the "glacier period?" There is time yet for three or four energetic school trustees to come out before nomination and adopt a platform something like this, viz.: (1) To sell present ward schools and property; (2), procure spacious school grounds in the centre of each ward; (3), build one $20,000 two story school in the centre of each ward with all modern improvements; (4) no compulsory home lessons, pupils to be taught at school; (5), teachers' salaries to be reduced if compulsory home lessons continue; (6), to have strictly temperate teachers.

PROGRESS AND REFORM.

Alberni, the richest mining district on Vancouver Island. *

Gerald's Appointment.

OTTAWA, Oct., Jan 7.—The Canada Gazette to-day publishes notice of the appointment of W. J. Gerald as assistant commissioner of inland revenue.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Doings Among the Secret Societies During the Present Week.

Canton Victoria, No. 1, P.M., will resume regular weekly drill this evening.

The Sons of Erin will hold their regular meeting next Wednesday evening.

The members of the A.O.U.W. will meet this evening in Pioneer hall to consider the building question.

The officers of Colfax Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be installed on Tuesday evening next. A full attendance is requested.

The officers of the four city lodges A.O.U.W. will be installed next week. On Monday evening the officers of Western Star lodge will be installed. On Wednesday evening the Victoria lodge officers installed, and the installation of the officers of Sullivan and Vancouver lodges will take place on Friday evening.

Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I.O.O.F., is preparing for an entertainment for Odd Fellows and their families on Wednesday, 18th inst. The admission will be free, but members will be requested to present tickets, which can be obtained from the committee or from the Noble Grands of the different lodges.

The monthly meeting of the B. C. St. George's Society was held at the Pioneer hall on Friday evening, the 6th, Director H. Mansel in the chair. A resolution was passed that the president, the secretary, the treasurer, the board of directors, Mr. Braden and the mover be a committee to report as to the wisdom of placing the society on a fresh footing, and as to the way in which this would best be done." Notice was given by P. A. Vidler that at the next meeting he would bring forward the following motion: "That the bestowal of the franchise upon women would be an evil, both to the commonweal and the hearth."

District-Deputy W. Duck last evening installed the following officers of Far West Lodge K. of P: Past Chancellor, H. L. O'Brien; Chancellor-commander, J. L. Smith; Vice-chancellor, T. Deasy; Keeper of records and seals, E.Pferdner; Master of finances, T. Sea, jr.; Master of the exchequer, Geo. E. Moss; prelate, J. Meiss; Master-at-arms, T. Jones, jr. H. L. O'Brien and W. Duck were elected representatives to the supreme lodge, with M. Meiss as alternate. W. Duck was re-elected traveller. The half-yearly report of the lodge showed a membership of 112, and that $500 had been paid out during the year in sick benefits.

Seghers' Council, No. 85, Y.M.I., held their regular meeting last Monday evening, a large attendance of members being present. Four candidates were elected and three applications were read. Report of committee on smoking concert read and adopted and committee given power to complete final arrangements for the concert on Monday evening. A fine programme has been prepared, and a good time is assured. The council has started a cribbage, whist, checkers and domino tournament amongst its members. The tournament commenced last Thursday evening, a large number of members having entered for the different games. The members have donated some handsome prizes for the winners. The council has now a fine reading room with all sorts of amusements for its members to spend their leisure time in the evenings. Next meeting is expected to be the last chance for candidates to apply under the present system of initiation. The amendments are expected back from headquarters by that time. The initiation will be double what it is at the present time. The dramatic club of the council are making rapid progress with the drama, "The Rose of Ettrick Vale." under the able management of Mr. Joseph Mellon.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

Frank Adams is across the Sound.

C. M. Maxwell, of Portland, is at the Driard.

James Seeley will leave St. Joseph's Hospital Monday or Tuesday.

John Hendry and A. Ewen, of New Westminster, are in the city.

Capt. H. H. Lloyd and Miss Lloyd, of Port Townsend, are at the Oriental.

H. Barnard and L. G. McPhillips returned last evening from San Francisco.

E. L. Ruddy, a well known young Seattleite, is in the city. He is at the Burnes House.

Wm. Humphreys and wife returned from Simcoe, Ont., last night, having been absent three months.

The largest harbor, and nearest point to the Orient is Alberni. *

Frightened the Guests.

Louis Hokonson created a stir at the Telegraph hotel, Store street, this morning. Hakonson entered the rooms of guests and ordered them downstairs. He entered the room of two ladies and turned them out. The frightened females screamed and were heard in the office. Landlord Merryfield rushed upstairs and brought Hokonson down with him. Hokonson was turned over to the police and is in the city lockup waiting medical examination. It is thought he is insane, as he has been acting queerly. He had in his pocket 85c. and a ticket from Tacoma by the steamer Victoria to Hong Kong. The ticket was dated Dec. 19th last. There was also a receipt from Joseph Carpenter for the rent of cabin No. 8 of Carpenter's cabins for one month. Hokonson's name was on an envelope of the Cosmopolitan Employment Office of Tacoma; this envelope was addressed to Hokonson at 108 A street, Tacoma. He is now in the lockup and will be examined for insanity.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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WHO DID THE DEED?

An Incendiary Sets Fire to Robert McDonald's House on the Gorge Road.

William McDonald Arrested Charged With Arson—The Charge Withdrawn.

Arson was attempted this morning. The circumstances are so palpable that no other idea could suggest itself.

It was shortly after three o'clock when the two-story frame house on the Gorge road owned by Robert McDonald was discovered on fire. The fire was discovered by a resident in the neighborhood who was returning home and noticed the blaze in the rear of the house. He gave the alarm and other residents were aroused, and began energetically working at the fire. Chief Deasy, who had been telephoned, rang for the chemical, and the fire was soon extinguished.

Then an examination was made, and this is what was found. The plaster was broken from the bottom of the walls in twelve places and left the laths bare. The space burned was two feet square. In this space had been placed old rags and shavings well saturated with coal oil. The rags were still smouldering and there was a strong odor of kerosene. Unburned shavings were also scattered around. The house was unoccupied, the front door was open, and the back door was off its hinges. In the rear downstairs room was an unmade bed and a few chairs. In the back yard were found a stove, chairs and other furniture. In the shed was a lighted hand lamp and a five-gallon coal oil can with a little coal oil.

The house is valued at $2000, but was only damaged to the extent of $50.

Robert McDonald, the owner, could not be found, and has not been seen. William J. McDonald, shoemaker, and brother of Robert McDonald, was arrested by Sergt. Levin at 5 o'clock this morning, charged with arson. He is said not to have given a satisfactory account of his whereabouts. Sergt. Levin in the police court this morning asked that the charge be withdrawn, but did not give reasons. Magistrate Macrae handed Levin the information against McDonald, and Levin tore it up. Mr. Macrae said that McDonald was not up before him, and McDonald stepped from the prisoners' box.

BY THE GRANT PROCESS.

Likelihood of the Tacoma Wreckers Tackling the San Pedro.

There is a prospect of another set of managers taking hold of the sunken collier, San Pedro. One of the Grant brothers, of Tacoma, inventors of the famous cylinders which expand and collapse, accompanied by Capt. John O'Brien, who is now identified with them, Capt. Buckman, the Victoria pilot, and another gentleman from Tacoma, were here the other day and made a survey of the wreck. They will talk business to the Southern Pacific after they confer at Tacoma. The visit to Victoria and the inspection of Pedro was kept very quiet. The raising of the Premier has increased the Grant brothers' already great confidence in their apparatus, and if given an opportunity they will unquestionably make a trial.

Eye Specialist.

Mr. L. G. Chamberlain, eye specialist, college graduate of Philadelphia, is expected to arrive in Victoria on Monday, and to remain till Saturday, January 14th, making his headquarters at Langley & Co., druggists. Mr. Chamberlain has made a life study of the eye and everything which affects the sight, so that he is thoroughly competent to detect any imperfections that may exist in the use of that important and delicate organ. Weakness in the eyes or defects in the vision are often the cause of much unpleasantness, which is usually attributed to other causes, which can be remedied by the use of properly fitted spectacles. Mr. Chamberlain also has the only ophthalmometer in Canada, an instrument by which the defect in the eyesight through ophthalmia is ascertained accurately, and once that is learned the proper means can be applied for its correction. He may be consulted at any time between the hours of 8 30 a.m. and 10 p.m.

Mr. Bishop Selected.

At a meeting of the ratepayers of Victoria West held last evening Mr. Caleb Bishop was selected as the nominee from that portion of the city for candidate for alderman in the north ward at the coming election. Mr. Fairall, the other aspirant, was defeated by a vote of 31 to 40. The meeting also ratified the nomination of Mr. Bishop as a candidate for school trustee.

The Band Plays

Every afternoon from two to five at Russell, McDonald & Co.'s during their annual dry goods sale. A few of the tunes: 300 doz. ribbed hose, 10cts pair; 500 doz. all wool hose, 25cts pair; 150 heavy winter jerseys, $1.50 each; 800 pieces 36-inch white calico, 8cts yard; 200 pieces flannelette, 8cts yard; 100 lace curtain remnants at 20cts, and thousands of other bargains.

The Fired House was Insured.

The house of Robert McDonald on Gorge road, which was set afire by an incendiary this morning, was insured in the Manchester Fire Insurance Company, of Manchester, Eng. The policy was for $2000, and bears date Aug. 22nd last.

Schools Re-open.

The public schools of the city will be re-opened on Monday, after the winter holidays.

A delicious cup of Tea, Coffee or Cocoa can be prepared in a few seconds for a cent by using "Reindeer Brand" Condensed Tea, Coffee or Cocoa. Sold by grocers.

Alberni, "look it up."

Something New.

Fine carved bread boards, butter dishes etc., suitable for presents, at Fox's, 78 Government street.

They are Very Choice.

The car load of eastern apples that arrived on Saturday are something extra. Call and see them at Gordon's.

Elected Members.

The Board of Trade elected members yesterday: T. B. Pearson, Richard Hall, L. H. Webber, C. N. Gowen, John Bennett and H. F. Sieward.

Bellamy and Brown.

Messrs. George Bellamy and C. R. Brown have formed a partnership for the purpose of conducting the Wilson restaurant. Both are well known young business men.

In Chambers.

An order was made in Supreme Court Chambers this morning for the examination of the defendant in the case of Saunders vs. Kingham. An application in the case of the Merchants' Bank vs. McDonnell was adjourned for a week.

Mr. Dalby's Meeting.

The supporters of Mr. Dalby for the Mayoralty have called a meeting at the Victoria Theatre on Monday evening, 9th inst., chair to be taken at 8 o'clock. It is expected that Mr. Dalby will return from the north to-morrow and will be present. Ex-Mayor Grant will be one of the speakers.

For the South.

The steamer Umatilla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following cabin passengers from this port. J.T. Brewster, L. A. Wright, J. M. Barnsley, E. Clare, Miss E. Carr, Miss M. Carr, Frank Nash, David Tomlinson, Mrs. C. Barnsley, Rev. Mrs. Hampson-Hemus, Jas. King and W. G. Stephens. She took 50 tons of freight ex steamship Tacoma for San Francisco.

City Police Court.

In the police court Chung Long, charged with keeping overcrowded Chinese sleeping quarters, was remanded till Wednesday. A similar charge against Hong Yuen was continued till Monday. Valentine Hall sued Professor G. T. Borelle for wages. The Professor asked for a continuation till Monday. Granted. Donald McKenzie and Owen Punnell, two small boys, were convicted of damaging fences. They were remanded for sentence.

Favorite Comic Operas.

Francois Von Suppe gave more merriment to the generation of Frenchmen that is just now on the home stretch of its career, than any one man who set about entertaining it. All his comic operas have possessed two very popular and taking characteristics, catchy melodies and a wealth of lively incident. Notably Fatinitza and Said Pasha, which are two of the pieces to be presented at the Victoria next week beginning Tuesday evening. The sale of seats has been excellent.

Horsey Cases.

There were a couple of what the Chief Justice terms "horsey" cases in the county court this afternoon. Horsemen after having "put up jobs" to rob the public quarrelled over the spoils and the cases were taken into court. The witnesses were induced to tell of many little tricks of the track. One witness said: "Well, you know, Judge, it was put up dat de best horse was to win." Another said, "I put a nigger on de horse and de nigger pulled him."

Parliament Opens.

Second session of the Y.M.C.A. Mock Parliament opens this evening. The new cabinet is: Leader of the House, P. W. Cregg; Minister of Public Works and Secretary of State, R. Marwick; Minister of Railways and Canals, E. Carmichael; Minister of Justice, A. B. McNeill; Minister of the Interior, E. R. Vigor; Minister of Marine and Fisheries, A. E. Hay; Minister of Finance, W. Farmer; Minister of Customs, W. F. C. Pope; Postmaster-General, J. Sinclair; Minister of Militia and Defence, F. W. Davey; Minister of Agriculture, F. W. Teague.

Burns' Anniversary Concert.

Arrangements have been completed for the celebration of Burns' anniversary by the choir of the First Presbyterian Church, in one of their popular Scotch concerts, on the evening of the 24th inst. Burns' birthday falls on the 25th inst., but owing to Mr. J. C. Brown's engagement at Vancouver on that evening the choir concert had to be held on the 24th. Amongst those who will take part are such well-known vocalists as Miss O'Neil, Mr. Kinnaird, Mr. Grant, Mr. Watson (leader of the Baptist Church choir), Mr. W. Allan, the inimitable Scotch reader. Madame Laird, who sang so well at the Hogmanay concert, has also consented to sing; and Mr. Russell, late organist and choirmaster of the Pandora avenue Methodist Church, will also appear. The choir have been working hard upon some four-part Scotch songs, and under the able tuition of Mr. Brown will acquit themselves well. Mr. Brown will sing some of his popular Scotch songs. Mrs. Cochrane, the distinguished pianist, will also take part, and Miss A. Brown will give a violin solo comprising Scotch airs. Last year many were compelled to go away as the hall was completely filled, not even standing room could be had. This has been provided for by having a gallery placed in the schoolroom capable of seating at least another hundred.

COUNTY COURT.

The Mechanics' Lien Act Before Chief Justice Sir M. B. Begbie.

D. F. Adams vs. Simeon Duck—The plaintiff, D. F. Adams, filed two mechanics' liens against the defendant's property for over $6000 and this was an action to enforce the liens against the property known as the Duck Block, a dispute arising between the plaintiff and the defendant. Mr. Belyea opened the case for the plaintiff stating that he would first establish the mechanics liens before proceeding with the claim for work done, for which an action was still pending in the Supreme Court, and was about to put Mr. Adams in the box when Mr. S. Perry Mills, for Mr. S. Duck, submitted that it would save the time of the court if the office copies of the liens were put in evidence at once, and he would raise the point that the liens were invalid and not in conformity with the liens act. His Lordship the Chief Justice ruled accordingly. Mr. Mills then took his objection and supported the same by the decision of the Chief Justice in the case of Haggerty and Grant vs. Duck and an Ontario case. Mr. Belyea replied. His Lordship held that the point taken was fatal to the liens and dismissed the action with costs.

Pacific Portland Cement.

We learn that the preliminary stage of manufacture and tests of this cement, which F. G. Jordan, C.E., has been conducting in this city for some months past, is now almost complete, and the results attained by the experiments have more than verified the fact that it is possible to manufacture, out of England, a "Portland cement" equal to the "London standard quality," viz., of 333 pounds per square inch tensile strength, weight 112 pounds per bushel, and in fineness to pass a sieve of 2500 mesh per square inch, with not more than 10 per cent. residue. Mr. Jordan's cement is also devoid of any deleterious chemical properties so frequently contained in English Portland cement, as sulphuric acid, excess of magnesia, etc., which act destructively upon work in which they may be used. This Pacific Portland cement is also positively "pacific" when subjected to the constancy test, (a sample of which may be seen at the office, 6 Bastion Square) and answers the question often asked, if cement either contracts or expands in setting, and also demonstrates the value of our local materials for such an industry, which if skilfully controlled by specialists, maintaining the quality standard, must assuredly win for Victoria the control of the cement markets of the Pacific, and add millions of dollars to her capital, and justifies the proposals shortly to be made to the people of Victoria to provide for establishing this industry near the city. It is well known the cement industry is one of England's most prosperous, and has added millions of pounds to the wealth of Great Britain, whilst enriching those who encouraged it. Such a precedent should be an incentive to all who have the true progress of Victoria to heart at come forward and assist in its foundation here.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Bark Assel is 140 days out from London for this port.

The Sealers Union decided last night decided to go back to the old scale of wages.

Captain Jones, who was on the sealing schooner Allie I. Algar last year, will go to Alaska this season to enter the employ of a canning company.

The Comptroller of Customs has confirmed the action of Collector Milne in imposing fines on the schooners Halcyon and San Jose for failing to report to the customs.

The steamship City of Topeka brings the news that there is a case of smallpox in the penitentiary at Sitka. There are fears expressed that it may spread owing to poor facilities for handling it. Alaska is, to begin with, pretty well isolated at this season of the year.

The schooner R. Q. Morse has been pulled off the rocks at Griffin Bay, San Juan Island. The U.S. revenue cutter Wolcott was passing there early this week and sent a line into her. After several unsuccessful attempts she was towed off. She was not much damaged.

The steamship Tacoma will not be back here most likely until Wednesday. She will not remain long, but will depart almost immediately for the Orient. The Tacoma people have given her a splendid reception. The ladies of the city presented Capt. Hill with two silk flags on Thursday.

The report has been in circulation for a day or so that the City of Kingston would lie at Seattle on Sundays in future on account of coaling there. When asked about it last evening Capt. George Roberts said that he had heard nothing about it. This change, if made, will simply give Victoria a boat to the Sound on Saturday night and not Sunday night.

YACHTING.

OWNER OF THE EDNA M.

Mr. E L. Ruddy, of Seattle, who is in the city, is here for the purpose of disposing of his yacht the Edna M. Some Victoria parties are looking at her. The Edna M. was here last fall. She is one of the fast boats of the Sound, and certainly the most comfortable yacht in these waters.

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Situated at the entrance to Seymour Narrows, the Terminus of the Canada Western Railway, in connection with the Ferry to the Mainland.

LOTS IN THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE.....

(Lots in the Original Townsite can be had at present prices until January 1st, when prices will be raised 25 per cent.)

The above statement was made in December last, and in conformity with same prices have been raised 25 per cent.

The first payment of $100,000 of the subscription to the stock of the Railway Co. has been made.

The Lots owned by the Canada Western Railway Co. in Duluth are NOT FOR SALE.

HENRY CROFT, 72 Government St.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

The Moral Reformers had no quorum last night.

St. Saviour's church choir will shortly give a concert.

W. P. Lindley is on his way north from Panama.

Benchers of the Law Society meet Wednesday next.

Mrs. William Pollard, formerly of Victoria, is dead in California.

Exhibition next Friday evening by the gymnasium class of the Y.M.C.A.

A Japanese high tea will shortly be given by the ladies of the Pandora avenue Methodist church.

Jubilee Hospital directors will meet on Monday. This evening's meeting has been postponed by request.

The candidates for the North Ward will address the electors this evening at the school house, Spring Ridge.

A number of gentlemen are endeavoring to establish a new lodge K. of P. The preliminary steps will be taken in a few days.

The street parade of the Uncle Tom's Cabin Company attracted considerable attention this morning. It is the best part of the show.

Yesterday in the religious calendar was the feast of the Epiphany, commemorating the visit of the wise men to the cradle of the Infant Redeemer.

There was an entertainment for the Sunday school children of the R.E. Episcopal church last night. They were given a supper and presents were distributed.

The junior Foresters of Court Northern Light were entertained last night. A. H. Maynard and E. J. Salmon gave a stereopticon exhibition, and presents were distributed.

Johnny, an Indian, is in the city lock-up charged with the theft of a pair of blankets from Alice, a klootchman. Mary, a klootchman, also charged Johnny with the theft of $50.

Came Out $1200 Ahead.

A quack doctor "did up" a couple of gamblers in a gambling saloon last night. He came out $1200 ahead and courteously said good-bye.

Alberni, the future centre of commerce.

MAUD.—"The man in the moon is looking, love, across the waters damp."

HARRY.—"But he looks on love in a different light, since the birth of The Pittsburgh Lamp."

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ASSETS.

SINKING FUNDS

Water Works Loan By-Law, 1873	$ 55,645 75	
Water Works Amendment Act, 1875	40 182 45	
Water Works Loan By-Law, 1877	9,550 65	
Corporation By-Law, 1878	12,159 00	
Public Light " 1885	4,597 00	
Drainage " 1885	1,440 00	
Water Works " 1886	10,218 70	
Streets & Bridges " 1887	2,981 00	
Johnson st Sewer " 1888	1,678 75	
Water Works " 1885	1,122 00	
Streets, Bridges and Cemetery By-Law, 1889	2,882 45	
Water Works $70,000 By-Law, 1889	4,445 60	
Water Works $60,000 By-Law, 1889	3,813 65	
Pleasure Grounds By-Law, 1889	1,587 75	
Fire Department By-Law, 1889	930 25	
Flour Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889	761 00	
City Hall Addition By-By Law, 1890	2,283 85	
Cemetery By-Law, 1890	816 35	
Sewerage " 1890	5,428 65	
Public Market Site By-Law, 1890	814 55	
Public Market Buildings By-Law, 1890	995 00	
Crematory By-Law, 1890	429 00	
Agricultural Association By-Law, 1891	637 30	
Loan City of Victoria Act, 1892	2,312 30	
		167,670 00
Municipal Taxes outstanding—		
Land and Improvement tax	$ 29,588 90	
Trades Licenses	1,177 50	
Fire Insurance tax	1,550 00	
Water rents	9,920 00	
Market rents	125 75	
	$ 42,362 15	
B.C. Land and Investment Agency, Loan City of Victoria Act, 1892	1,839 13	
B.C. Corporation, Limited, Crematory Loan	10,410 40	
J. Gosnell, Weighing Machine Fees	59 93	
A. McBean, for Pipes	1,477 85	
Bank B. N. America—		
General Account	$ 1,375 35	
City Victoria Act, 1892	3,014 43	
Sewerage Loan 1890	$ 35 90	
Sewerage Deposit Account	18,768 56—18,804 46	
Street Loan By-Law, 1892	12,222 77	
Contract Deposit Acct	4,101 10	
		39,318 11
Cash on hand		63 35
Corporation of the City of Victoria, being excess of Liabilities over Assets		1,185,592 48
		$1,449,293 55

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LIABILITIES.

LOANS.

Water Works Loan, 1873	$ 92,500 00	
" " 1875	50,000 00	
" " 1877	20,000 00	
Corporation " 1878	30,000 00	
Public Lighting " 1885	16,000 00	
Drainage " 1885	5,000 00	
Water Works " 1886	75,000 00	
Streets & Bridges " 1886	50,000 00	
Johnson st Sewer " 1888	30,000 00	
Water Works " 1888	20,000 00	
Streets, Bridges, & Cemetery Loan, 1889	45,000 00	
Water Works Loan, 1889	90,000 00	
" " 1889	70,000 00	
Pleasure Ground Loan, 1889	25,000 00	
Fire department Loan, 1889	15,000 00	
Flour Mill Bonus Loan, 1889	10,000 00	
City Hall Addition Loan, 1890	35,000 00	
Cemetery Loan, 1890	12,500 00	
Sewerage Loan, 1890	300,000 00	
Public Market Site Loan, 1890	15,000 00	
Public Market Buildings Loan, 1890	55,000 00	
Crematory Loan, 1890	10,000 00	
Agricultural Association Loan, 1891	25,000 00	
City of Victoria Act Loan, 1892	182,000 00	
Street Loan By-law, 1892	25,000 00	
		$1,293,000 00
Water Works Current Account		150,199 16
Deposits for use of Streets		230 00
Home for Aged and Infirm, Permanent Building Fund		40 76
Contract Deposit Account		4,376 00
Unclaimed Wages		54 34
Tax Sale Redemption Account		37 87
Outstanding Accounts		1,264 42
		$1,449,293 55

CHARLES KENT, Treasurer.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

1892.

RECEIPTS.

From 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

Land and Improvement tax	$219,672 73	
Water rents and rates	54,840 66	
Trades licenses	22,701 50	
Liquor	13,983 00	
Revenue tax	11,151 00	
" from Provincial Government	5,937 00	
Gravel pits sale by-law	9,756 94	
Fire insurance tax	2,150 00	
Police court fines and fees	6,683 95	
Road tax	3,498 00	
Cemetery fees	2,730 30	
Refund from Provincial Government under sec. 109, Municipal Act, 1892	1,674 42	
Dog tax	508 70	
Pound fees	644 25	
Provincial Government in aid of fire department	1,000 00	
Market fees and rents	1,625 06	
Miscellaneous	5,223 97	
Interest on investment of sinking funds	5,576 36	
	$377,903 94	

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EXPENDITURE.

Summary of Expenditure from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. City debt	$ 83,207 75	
II. Civic salaries	73,448 83	
III. City Institutions (maintenance)	129,459 74	
IV. Education	23,733 58	
V. Municipal council	3,800 00	
VI. Buildings and surveys	3,296 38	
VII. Streets, bridges and sidewalks	30,800 53	
VIII. Miscellaneous expenditure	28,926 01	
	$376,662 02	

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DETAILED EXPENDITURE.

Statement Showing the Expenditure for 1892, as brought to Account in the Treasury of the City of Victoria, from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. City Debt—		
Interest on debentures	$ 51,507 90	
" under annual loan by-law, 1892	2,448 62	
	$ 53,956 52	
Brokerage and exchange	149 39	
Payments to sinking funds	23,525 48	
Interest accrued from the investment of sinking fund	5,576 36	
	29,101 84	
	83,207 75	
II. Civic Salaries—		
Treasurer's office	$ 5 155 04	
City clerk's "	2,671 67	
Assessor's "	2,760 00	
Janitor	770 00	
Temporary assistance, all departments	319 06	
	11,675 61	
Water Works	4,910 00	
Public works	8,169 01	
Board of health	1,800 00	
Police	23,467 43	
Fire department	12,602 05	
Library	1,115 00	

Expenditure continued.

Pound	928 83	
Home for aged and infirm	600 00	
Market	930 03	
Street Lighting	4,537 35	
Cemetery	1,214 00	
Park	1,438 65	
	10,449 86	
III. City Institutions (maintenance)—		
Water works	45,743 08	
Cemetery	216 81	
	45,959 89	
Board of Health, lepers	994 10	
" " general	59,102 01	
	60,096 11	
Park	565 48	
Police—		
Clothing	1,803 50	
Keep of prisoners	3,011 15	
Inquests, lunatics, etc	545 50	
Hacks and express	122 25	
Interpreter	64 00	
Washing	17 00	
Sundries	148 10	
	5,742 00	
Library	65 00	
Fire Department—		
Feed for horses	1,353 28	
Shoeing and blacksmithing	252 87	
Repairs	474 60	
Hardware, oil, etc	473 79	
Medical services, horses	65 85	
Insulated wire	134 00	
Hydrants	600 00	
Chemical engine	2,740 00	
Harness and clothing	371 86	
Fire alarm service	474 60	
Furniture and bedding	139 65	
Scavenger	29 50	
Couplings, nozzles, etc	196 28	
Freight	53 30	
Express hire	6 75	
One horse	300 00	
Fuel	458 00	
	8,124 43	
Pound	147 72	
Street lighting	4,490 66	
Home for aged and infirm	3,247 88	
Market	1,099 57	
	$129,459 74	
IV.—Education—		
Provincial Government	14,130 00	
Board of school trustees	9,603 58	
	$ 23,733 58	
V.—Municipal Council—		
Mayor and aldermen	3,800 00	
VI.—Buildings and surveys—		
City Hall repairs	359 75	
Market property	1,223 05	
Fire halls	610 94	
Furniture	396 67	
Defining streets and city boundaries	695 87	
	$ 3,286 30	
VII.—Streets, Bridges & Sidewalks—		
For all purposes	30,800 53	
VIII.—Miscellaneous—		
Advertising and printing	5,153 18	
Stationery	905 61	
Postage	413 10	
Telegrams	75 05	
Telephone service	1,200 15	
Fuel and light	2,210 00	
Hacks and express	291 75	
Fire insurance	241 50	
Commission on collections	158 10	
Legal expenses	2,179 15	
Refund	393 61	
Charitable aid fund	511 29	
Grant to Jubilee Hospital	2,000 00	
Registrar General re Assessment roll	382 00	
Queen's Birthday celebration	1,000 00	
Election petition, C. Williams	250 00	
Expenses local improvement by-law	332 25	
Sec. 80 B, Fairfield	9,303 47	
Miscellaneous not detailed	1,925 14	
	$ 28,926 01	

Thev Hate the Jews.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—A great anti-Semitic meeting was held at the Tivoli Vauxhall this evening. The hall was packed and the first two speakers were received apparently with enthusiasm. The principal speaker of the evening was the Marquis de Mores, who began his address with a general onslaught on the Jews as the corruptors of French honesty and the haters of French honor. A tremendous uproar greeted these assertions and about 50 men started forward to dispute with the Marquis on the platform. At the steps to the platform they met some 30 partisans of the Libre Parole group, who showed fight. Police Commissary Vernon announced that unless the disorder ceased he must dissolve the meeting, and a short lull followed. The Marquis de Mores continued at some length on Socialism and strikes, and then suddenly returned to the subject of the Jews, with the declaration that were it not for them and other capitalists like them the question would be solved easily. The Jews, he said, brought about the state of affairs which was culminating in the Panama scandal. They rejoiced in injuring French reputations. The rest of the audience cheered or shouted for order that the speaker might proceed. The Marquis, whose voice had been partially inaudible for several minutes before the outbreak, could not be heard by those almost at arm's length, although he continued talking and gesticulating. Eventually the Libre Parole crowd made a rush for the principal disturbers, upsetting and smashing the seats and trampling down all who were in their way. Two bodies of policemen, each a hundred strong, then came in and cleared the hall.

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Loan under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892.

1892.			
Amount of bonds sold	$ 182,000 00		
Premium on above bonds having realized 104 net	7,280 00		
		189,280 00	
Accrued interest at 5% on above		196 24	
Difference between sales of substituted 50 year 4½% bonds of 1892 at 98½ net and advance of $55,000 on security of Market site and Market building 50 year 4% bonds of 1890		7,240 25	
		$196,716 50	

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Payments made under authority of sub sec. A, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	$154,141 41
Payments made under authority of sub sec. B, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	6,672 04
Payments made under authority of sub sec. C, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	27,651 60
Payments made under authority of sub sec. D, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	2,562 20
Interest on advances made before bonds were floated, Sub sec. E, sec. 2	3,014 25
Balance on hand	3,267 70
	$196,716 50

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Street Loan By-Law, 1892.

Amount of Bonds sold	$25,000 00	Discount on Bonds	$550 00
Accrued Interest	179 58	Expenditure on streets, bridges, sidewalks, to Dec. 31, 1892	12,456 81
		Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	12,222 77
	$25,179 58		$25,179 58

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1890.

Jan. 1, 1892—		Expenditure on sewerage works from January 1 to Dec. 31, 1892	$97,595 73
Balance on hand	$111,793 04	do. do. do. charged to Alex. McBean	1,477 85
Accrued interest on above	1,909 40	Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	18,804 46
Pipe sold	135 85		
	$116,878 29		$116,878 29

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Crematory By-Law, 1890.

January 1, Balance this date	9,800 00	Dec. 31, 1892, Balance on hand this date	10,410 40
Accrued Interest	610 40		
	$10,410 40		$10,410 40

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GET IT FROM THE ROOF.

Deputy Smith Objects to $80 for Water Supply for the Marine Hospital.

He Tells Them to Use Roof Water—A Strong Resolution by the Board of Trade.

The Board of Trade, after the TIMES went to press yesterday afternoon, passed a resolution regarding the Albert Head quarantine, for submission to the Dominion Government. The resolution read:—

"That this Board learns with surprise and regret that the accommodation at the quarantine station at Albert Head is still totally inadequate in every respect; that in quarantining the Northern Pacific liner Tacoma the Chinese were placed in the sheds without any means whatever of cooking their food under cover; that the steamship company were compelled to supply food and furnish guards to see that the Dominion regulations were carried out; and that the accommodation was such as no human being should have been forced to accept.

"Resolved, that this board urge the Dominion Government to take immediate steps to place the quarantine station at either Albert or William Head in such a condition that the quarantining of steamers may be carried out in an effective manner. Owing to the increasing trade with the Orient, and the constant danger of the introduction of contagious diseases therefrom, it is absolutely essential that complete quarantine facilities should at once be furnished.

"And further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be handed to the city's representatives at Ottawa, and that they be requested to immediately lay the matter before the Government."

THEY CALL IT A HOSPITAL.

Robert Ward spoke of the disagreeable condition of the Marine Hospital. It was worked on the farming-out system. The caretaker was paid $500 salary and allowed $5 weekly for the keep of a patient. The whole place was in a wretched condition. Only one room was fit for occupancy. There was no water on the premises. The Indians supplied it. There were 55 patients and the Government last year made $2000 profit. The Government collected two cents a ton duty on entering cargoes which went to the Marine Hospital fund.

Col. Prior told the meeting that Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries Smith, when asked to put in water, replied that it would be outrageous to pay $80 to put in water. "You should," he continued, "be able to get enough rain water from the roof." (Laughter.)

The following resolution was passed by the board:

"The present apparently unsatisfactory condition of the Marine Hospital at the port of Victoria having been brought to the notice of this Board,

"Resolved, that the attention of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries be directed thereto, and that he be respectfully asked to cause an official inquiry into the working of that institution, keeping in view the absolute necessity of proper care and provision for sick mariners left at this port."

The Chinese and the Siwash.

The programme for the entertainment in the Market Hall next Saturday evening in aid of St. Luke's church is a good one. It includes an exhibition by the fire department. Tugs of war between the Navy and Civilians, the Garrison Artillery and C Battery, and the police and fire departments. There will also be a pull between a Siwash and a Chinese team.

Rigby waterproofs are now the correct thing. The day for rubber clothing is ended

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The Revised Version.

Sutton's double Uncle Tom's Cabin company with two Topsies, two Markses, two bloodhounds and two donkeys, played at the Victoria last evening. Mr. Sutton in picking out pairs overlooked something important to Victoria theatre-goers. He neglected to engage two people who could properly be called actors or actresses. The show is superlatively and sublimely "rank." It is so miserable that it is funny. Sitting in the auditorium one feels so amused that he would like to contribute something besides his admission fee—his chair, for instance. The play has a redeeming feature. All of the performers are fine-looking. The women are beautiful and the men are perfect Apollos. But the women are far and away the prettier. They are ravishingly beautiful. Their faces are studies. The "bluu" hounds look more like big well-fed butcher dogs than anything else, and one of the two donkeys "pulled up lame" after his walk on the stage. The show should be well patronized to-day and to-night. It is such a burlesque on the beautiful story of Harriet Beecher Stowe that it is really comical.

Merriment at Boleskin School.

Boleskin school house off Saanich road was the scene of a merry party on Wednesday evening, the room being very prettily decorated and a stage erected. The first part of the programme consisted of songs by Messrs. Firth, Twiss, Dudgeon, Ferris and Mrs. Russell, all being loudly applauded. Mrs. Theobold and Mr. Watt presiding at the piano; violin, Mr. Graham and Mr. Abbott. The most interesting part was the tableau representation of the Statute of Liberty by Miss L. Harrap. Mistletoe bough by Mrs. Foster and Miss L. and N. Harrap, all of which received rounds of applause. The room being cleared for dancing, many couples danced till far on in the morning, to music supplied by Mrs. Theobold and Messrs. Graham, Abbott and Oscar Sear. Refreshments were served during the evening and many requests for another such party were made, it being the most successful ever held in the neighborhood.

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A WOMAN ON TENNYSON.

A Critical Analysis of the Philosophy of the Late English Poet Laureate.

An English Woman Compares the Work of Tennyson with That of a Predecessor.

Although every great poet is, first of all, artist rather than moralist, scientist or philosopher, yet the content of his work, despite any conscious purpose, must be either moral or immoral—either true to nature or false to it—and if the poet go below the surface of things his poem must inevitably be more or less metaphysical. Homer's "Iliad" gives us not only the story of the Trojan war, but it embodies an entire system of ethics, theology and philosophy. The same is true of Dante's great poem. Shakespeare's universe comprehends the two worlds—the physical and the metaphysical. The awful mystery by which man is surrounded, his relation to the invisible power or powers on which he is dependent, together with the obligations arising from those relations, form no small part of Shakespeare's plays, vital as they are with life and action.

It is in poems like "Locksley Hall," "The Two Voices" and "In Memoria," that Tennyson's religious and philosophical opinions are to be found. Other poems, "The May Queen," for instance, show deep religious sentiment, but as the words are put in the mouth of another they may or may not express the convictions of the author. "Locksley Hall," less argumentative than the "Two Voices" or "In Memoriam," pleads for the larger life of the individual in the life and purposes of the race. Thwarted and disappointed in his individual desires, man is to find satisfaction in the welfare and progress of humanity. There is a touch of positivism in this—a hint of that philosophy which controlled and limited George Eliot's horizon—a conception of man's individual welfare and destiny as lost, in furthering the welfare of posterity, which posterity in turn must lose its own for the welfare of another posterity, and so on ad infinitum. If individual existence be limited to no larger life than is to be found in the life of the race, the pessimist might well put in his plea and urge that at one stroke an end be made of all this human striving which has no other object in view than its own restlessness. Taken, however, in connection with other poems by Tennyson, it is evident that the sentiment expressed in "Locksley Hall" is not in sympathy with positivism or pessimism. The individual does not lose himself in the race, but on the contrary finds himself linked with it, working with it in the pursuit of

> One far-off divine event,
> To which the whole creation moves.

"The Two Voices" embodies in exquisite music the boldest statements of Darwin, Huxley and Spencer. The doubts suggested by the latest scientific investigations are faced and answered in a way that meets the demands of the time. The one voice asserts that man is but a unit in the great order of evolution; that there is no more evidence of design or providential care for than for the merest insect. Man dies as the insect, and the world moves on as before; man, with all his strivings and aspirations, does not make an ^real gain; the scale of perfection is infinite and man might as well stop short of it at one point as at another; desire for perfection leads only to feverish effort and inevitable failure; any so-called noble aspiration or heroic effort is in reality only a quickening of the blood; the joys which saints and martyrs have known were not because they had sure grounds for hope, but because their natures were more gently tuned, the elementary atoms in them circulated more freely than in others. As to the belief in immortality, if the soul can exist apart from the body where was the soul before the body was formed, and what reason is there for belief in a future state ir there ba no evidence of a previous stage of existence?

To all of which the other voice replies in a question which carries a weight of assurance against the negative testimony of the senses:

> Who forged that other influence,
> The heart of inward evidence,
> By which man doubts against the sense.
>
> Here sits he shaping wings to fly;
> His heart forebodes a mystery;
> He names the name Eternity.

Man's consciousness of an infinite power; his idea of a perfection that exists nowhere in the visible world; his unconquerable belief, in spite of doubts, that all labor is working to a final purpose, which purpose is good; his insatiable desire for larger, freer life—all these give evidence of the reality of the soul and its high destiny with a conviction which the testimony of the senses may shake but cannot overthrow.

Tennyson makes little appeal to the external world for an answer to questions which with him find the surest response in his own consciousness. He does not deny the force of arguments drawn from nature in favor of God, freedom and immortality, but finds that the most satisfactory proofs come from within rather than from without.

"In Memoriam" is no less metaphysical than "The Two Voices," but it speaks more directly the language of the heart, is much better known and more frequently quoted. All the bitterness of grief which the heart can feel in the loss of friends is minutely portrayed: all the changes which death may make in the object beloved, the question of the immortality of the individual soul or of its possible merging into some great world soul, existing still but in a form no longer recognizable; the problem of evil and death, and the continual conflict between nature and faith—these are all questions which come to every human soul as to the poet. Tennyson has answered them not only in accord with Christian sentiment, but in terms that express the latest development of philosophic thought. He makes faith in divine goodness the power by which man apprehends.

> Truths that never can be proved
> Until we close with all we loved
> And all, we flow from, soul in soul.

This faith is widely different from a listless belief that comes from indolence. It has nothing to do with an idle acceptance on the verdict of authority, and it is as far removed from superstition as science is remote from ignorance. Instead of something passive, it is in fact the living motive power of all worthy human action. It is the positive conviction that goodness is at the heart of things, and is to be won by indomitable effort. Without this faith in the reality of justice and righteousness neither the life here nor the life hereafter would be possible or desirable.

Faith as a religious sentiment has been emphasized from the Christian era down. It has been re-emphasized by the latest philosophic teaching as a faculty for the direct perception of the highest truths, and as such is no less valid and trustworthy in its own domain than is the sentient eye in the physical world. There may be questionings as to the reality of the things preceived by the organ of sense, just as doubts may assail the visions of faith, but no rational being would act on these questionings. The healthful testimony of both has to be accepted, and, in spite of himself and in spite of his doubts, man has to live by faith. has to practically accept the belief in the permanence of goodness and be satisfied with

> Believing where he cannot prove.

CAROLINE K. SHERMAN.

Cost of Making Paper Money.

The exact cost of making paper money has recently been figured out at the Treasury Department. The figures have been ascertained by taking the actual cost of printing notes for ten months, at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and adding the cost of the distinctive paper from the Government mill, the clerical labor of handling the money in the treasury and the expressage to the places of issue. The money printed during the ten months included $40,920,000 in United States notes, making 1,232,000 sheets, at a cost of $59,915. The silver certificates printed of various denominations were $91,156,000, and cost $252,607, while new treasury notes under the act of 1890 were printed to the amount of $60,336,000, at a cost of $177,303. The total amount printed was 9,840,000 sheets, of a face value of $191,512,000 and a cost of printing of $489,825. An addition of 5 per cent. was made for the sheets spoiled in printing, and the cost of the paper from the Government mill was found to be 43 1 2 cents per pound, making the cost of the amount used, including expressage and other charges, $65,601. The expense of handling in the treasury was $2,666, and the expense in handling money after it was printed was $27,426. The expense of shipment of notes was $28,726, raising the total cost for 9,840,000 perfect impressions, each containing four notes, to $614,246. This made the cost of each sheet, without regard to denomination, six cents two mills and four-tenths of a mill, and the cost of a note just one-fourth of this, or fifteen and three-fifth mills. The average face value of the notes of all denominations from $106 down to $1, is about $4.50, so that the average cost per dollar is three and one-fifth mills.—Washington correspondence of the Globe.

Ideas at Will.

Dr. Lauder Brunton has made a discovery which ought to entitle him to the gratitude of all who live by intellectual labor. It is nothing less than the secret of how to have ideas at will. One night, after a long day's work, this eminent physician was called upon to write an article immediately. He sat down with pen, ink and paper before him, but not a single idea came into his head, not a single word could he write. Lying back, he then soliloquized: "The brain is the same as it was yesterday, and it worked then; why will it not work to-day?" Then it occurred to him that the day before he was not so tired and that probably the circulation was a little brisker than to-day. He next considered the various experiments on the connection between cerebral circulation and mental activity, and concluded that if the blood would not come to the brain the best thing would be to bring the brain down to the blood. It was at this moment that he was seized with the happy thought of laying his head "flat upon the table." At once his ideas began to flow and his pen to run across the paper. By and by Dr. Brunton thought, "I am getting on so well I may sit up now." But it would not do. "The moment," he continues, "that I raised my head, my mind became an utter blank, so I put my head down again flat upon the table, and finished my article in that position."

His Last Contribution.

George William Curtis's last contribution to The Easy Chair—a plea for Christmas—is published in the November number of Harper's Magazine, and with it that department of the magazine will be discontinued. The Easy Chair was started in September, 1851, with Donald G. Mitchell as its writer. Mr. Curtis's connection with it began with the number for October, 1853, when he and Mr. Mitchell became joint editors of the department. The latter was responsible for the foreign paragraphs, which appeared for some time under a subhead as "Our Foreign Gossip" although still a part of The Easy Chair. In March, 1859, Our Foreign Gossip became a distinct department called Our Foreign Bureau, and from that time Mr. Curtis was the sole occupant of The Easy Chair. The discontinuance of the department at the present time is a signal mark of respect to the memory of him who for nearly forty years had imparted to it so much of his own personality that it seems impossible to imagine an Easy Chair with any other occupant than himself.

TENNYSON.

"Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me;
And may there be no moaning of the bar
When I put out to sea."

There was no moaning of the bar,
O singer lost from sight,
When out beyond our evening star,
Death drifted thee to light.

Black was the pilot at the helm;
Dark gloomed the hither shore;
But never wave could overwhelm,
The land that gleamed before.

Beyond these voices there is peace!
Life fills thy cup this day!
From pain and weariness surcease
They find who pass this way!

Oh! laurelled at the head and feet,
We cannot call thee dead!
Our hearts repeat thy music sweet,
And we are comforted.

—Margaret E. Sangster, in Harper's Bazar.

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REQUISITION.

VICTORIA, B.C., December 29, 1892.

Wm. Dalby, Esq., Victoria, B.C:

DEAR SIR,—We, the undersigned electors of the City of Victoria, most respectfully request you to allow your name to be put for nomination for the office of Mayor at the forthcoming election. We promise to use our best endeavors to procure your election, and trust you will favorably consider our requisition.

Yours faithfully,

Thos Shaw,	Mary Shaw,
Geo Penketh,	Thos Gough,
O Richards,	Wm Murray,
John Devereux,	Anthony Watson,
James McArthur,	M McCahill,
J Madden,	A Garland,
W F Bullen,	D Russell,
John Grant,	D M Carley,
B Carter,	T M Graham,
F Hales,	Thos Geiger,
Alex Cameron,	Daniel Morrison,
S Jones,	J Haggerty,
F W Strong,	Wm Heater,
Aubray Crane,	George Crocker,
John Begg,	George Crossman,
Jos Clearihue,	Alex Clearihue,
John Wenger,	John Watt,
D J McDonald,	Richard W Roper,
A Williams,	N C Messiers,
R Merritt,	John Henry,
Henry Norman,	Henry Siepmann,
John D B Williams,	Robert McRury,
D Butt,	F Cole,
M Pike,	H Disher,
Jessie Stamford,	William Jones,
W A Sprinkling,	J M Douglas,
James O'Neill,	James Brookes,
John Valo,	F Carne, sr,
Sidney Shore,	Geo W Miles,
W J Smith,	E Pearson,
Lewis Lewis,	Geo A Cooper,
R F Tolmie,	W S Chambers,
J E Crane,	M R Smith,
G L Simpson,	J Porter,
Jno Geo Elliott,	D R Young,
Henry Clay,	John Jollich,
J H Nicholson,	Peter Hansen,
H Courtney,	J Phœnix.
Jas Hilliard,	D Lindsay,
John Barnett,	William Turpel,
E J Guy,	Edward Trask,
Joseph Carpenter,	Thos B Hall,
T Schoen,	Noel Ledrer,
Chas Russell,	
H C Lucas,	D McFadden,
Joseph Levy,	Geo E Munro,
A A Aaronson,	A Whetstone,
R Morrison, M D,	George Rudge,
H Nicholson,	S L Kelly,
John R Ball,	J Blamford,
John Piercy,	Joshua Davies,
G C Shaw,	J A Kenning,
F C Holden,	A McKeown,
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D R Ker.	C Pennock,
D Johnson,	J H Gaerdes,
C J King,	C Steers,
W H Snider,	E Brandson,
C Williams,	John Sayyea,
W A Robertson,	John Brerdfgod,
Thos Elliott,	H Thorsteinson,
H D Helmcken,	Oliver Johnson,
D Stewart,	H Eirikson,
D D Graham,	O Semundson,
Anna Graham,	E Brynjvesson,
S Mrydal,	W H Spofford,
Paul Thorsteinson,	W J Clark,
James Samuelson,	J Jackmau,
GoodmanSamuelson,	F Gilchrist,
A R Sherk.	Christian Sivertz.
E Pannell,	R Sinclair,
Alex McDonald,	Wm Batchelor,
M Lepine,	G Mesher,
E J Wall,	C J Blake,
T Haughton,	J F Noel,
C McGregor Taylor,	C Taylor,
W Taylor,	Mrs E Taylor,
H Hodgson.	W C Winsby,
W F Fullerton,	O Brown,
Charles Farrend,	Jas Hay,
Fred Weldon,	H Warner,
Robert Jamieson,	John Smith,
H S Fairal',	Mrs Fairall
J Lismore,	Alex Watson, jr,
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A Bechtel,	E J Salmon,
Jas Crawford,	James Hood,
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James Munger,	N Sablin,
L G Hill,	M Morrissey,
George McRae,	Watson Clark,
R Chapman,	E Coles,
W B C Mewburn,	E Gardè,
J Martin,	F Besford.
A Ohlson,	George Powers,
William Frost,	J Perry,
Hermann Sorge,	T B Pearson,
W D McGregor,	C Baker.
W E Regan,	A G Tait,
A S Fraser,	Robt Mason,
A McLarty,	C S Pearson,
E P Picken,	G E Milloy,
Chas Campbell,	Elizabeth Hand,
Geo W Robinson,	D A Mickle,
Angus McInnes,	Archie McInnes,
James Walker,	B H West,
John Colbert,	Chas M Page,
R Seabrook,	R J Ker,
R Ross Monro,	H J Martin,
F A Cuthbert,	J E Church,
F E Mylius,	A J Jackson,
J H Warner,	Max Heap,
F Campbell,	Arthur Butcher,
W M Dean,	W J Jeffree,
David Painell,	Robt Hamilton,
Jas H Falconer,	Samuel M Okell.

NOTE—Several requisition sheets not coming to hand in time for this issue, will be added as they come in.

VICTORIA, B.C., December 29, 1892.

GENTLEMEN,—I am in receipt of your very numerously signed requisition, placed in my hands this evening, asking me to allow my name to be put in nomination for the mayoralty. If you gentlemen think my services would be of benefit to the city in general, I place myself in your hands in accepting it, and can only say that should you do me the honor of electing me, I will do my best to advance the interests and prosperity of the city, to the best of my ability.

I am in favor of the fostering and encouragement of all industrial and manufacturing enterprises; the assistance of legitimate public works; the improvement and extension of the city waterworks which, I may add, I had the honor of seeing constructed during my former tenure of office; the permanent improvement of our streets and sidewalks, and the extension of the lighting of the city, thereby placing Victoria in the forefront as a commercial centre and healthy residential city as by nature intended.

Regretting that through urgent business, I have to leave the city for a few days, which will prevent my calling upon you personally, and hoping that on my return I shall have the pleasure of meeting the ratepayers and explaining my views on all matters connected with civic affairs, I remain,

Yours truly,
WM. DALBY.

Jan-3.

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Dec. 30.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Dissolution of Partnership

The partnership heretofore existing between Stevenson & Jones at Pritchard House has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. W. G. Stevenson retiring, and the business will be carried on by Mr. Jones.

W. G. STEVENSON.
J. B. JONES.

Victoria, Dec. 19th 1892.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The Partnership business heretofore existing between Pemberton & Dumbleton, barristers and solicitors has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by Alan S. Dumbleton at 51 Langley street, who assumes all liabilities and to whom all debts are to be paid.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1892.
(Signed) C. C. PEMBERTON.
dec10-30days ALAN S. DUMBLETON.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 141, 142 and 144, in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to William Parsons Sayward on the 21st day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 19th October, 1892. oc21-3m

"Land Registry Act."

Section Fifteen (15), Range One East, South Saanich District, excepting three acres thereof as described in a conveyance dated the 16th day of January, 1878, and made between George Thomas, of the one part, and Alexander Caulfield Anderson and William Thomson, of the other part.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to George Thomas on the first day of March, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 23rd November, 1892. n25-3m

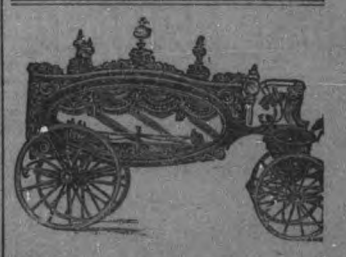
"Land Registry Act."

Lot 2 of Lot 1, Block 1 of part of Section LXXIV Victoria District, Map 271.

Whereas the certificate of title of Louisa Anne Whiteley to the above Lot bearing date the 20th day of April, 1891, has been destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 23rd November, 1892. dec10-1m



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H. M. YATES,
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HOPING AGAINST HOPE.

The Father of the Lost Boy, Miller, Still Searching—Died Under an Operation.

NANAIMO, Jan. 7.—Mr. Stark Miller returned from Qualicum yesterday by the steamer Joan without being successful in the search for the body of his son. Mr. Austin will leave again in a few days for the place.

The death of Mrs. J. Piper took place at the Veronica home on Thursday where the deceased had undergone an operation performed by three doctors. A husband and four little children mourn her loss.

The installation of officers of Myrtle Lodge, K. of P., took place in the lodge room on Thursday night.

ACCUSED OF BOODLING.

Two County Commissioners the Men—Guion Liners for the Northern Pacific Line.

SEATTLE, Jan. 7.—A contest more bitter than the water fight of a few weeks ago is going on in Spokane over the building of a $300,000 county bridge within the city limits. County Commissioners S. Arthur and John Mayor are accused of being "boodlers," and their arrest is threatened. The property owners obtained an injunction on opening bills and the case will be argued on Monday, when the terms of the county commissioners expire.

The steamers Alaska and Arizona of the Guion line are to be brought around the Horn at an early date and placed on the Puget Sound-Oriental route. These magnificent liners are to be leased by Dodwell, Carlill & Co., and will run for the Northern Pacific. This statement has been made before and denied, but it is now confirmed by the company's officials. The Guion line numbers five steamers and runs from New York to Liverpool.

CANNOT COPE WITH BROWN.

The Mayoralty Contest—Old Dog Tray's Reward—Heated Elections.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7.—A carload of flooring for the Canadian Court at the World's Fair goes forward to Chicago to-day.

The supporters of Wm. Brown for Mayor are working hard and expect success, while F. Cope is practically without enthusiastic partisans, but the candidate himself expects victory as a matter of course. The Trades and Labor Council last night endorsed Wm. Brown as their candidate for Mayor; A. W. Scoullar, John McDowell, C. L. Queen, Geo. Hobson and Wm. Towler as aldermen in their respective wards. Brown's chances of election are good.

Ex-Mayor MacLean has been commissioned by the Dominion Government to visit Oregon and Washington to ascertain the feeling of the farmers there and induce as many as possible to remove to British Columbia, Manitoba and the Northwest. The appointment is looked upon as a convenient means to provide for a veteran political follower.

Elections in the municipalities of South Vancouver, Richmond and North Vancouver are being more keenly contested than usual. At a meeting last night considerable dissatisfaction was expressed with the North Vancouver council's direction of affairs.

The Indian Mission church at Euclataw Rapids was blown down this week.

GABRIEL VS. MESHER.

The Plaintiff Gabriel Awarded $3500—An Appeal to the Full Court

The taking of the evidence for the defence was concluded at 11:30 to-day, when Mr. Bodwell, for the defendant, and Mr. McPhillips for the plaintiff, addressed the jury at considerable length. His Lordship then briefly summed up the evidence, pointing out that negligence was a relative term, and that what would be regarded as extreme negligence in one case might not be so considered in a case where the circumstances were the same, but the conditions under which the accident took place were different. The pleadings in this case set forth three distinct points, viz., that the plaintiff was a painter, the defendant was the contractor who employed him, and that in March the plaintiff sustained injuries while he was engaged as a servant of the defendant. To these might be added another point which was admitted, viz, that the injuries sustained by the plaintiff were permanent and incurable, and that they were the result of a fall from a scaffolding erected by the defendant.

The learned judge warned the jury against allowing themselves to be swayed by sympathy for the plaintiff, and pointed out what it was necessary for them to consider before coming to a conclusion as to the verdict they should give. The defendant Mesher would not be liable for negligence if he had fulfilled rightly the duties and obligations placed upon him by the law. His duty was to provide suitable and competent workmen, to see that the materials used were good, sufficient and proper for the purpose for which they were intended, and were such as would preserve the lives of the workmen from danger. He was not bound to guarantee the security of every plank specifically, but he was bound to exercise reasonable skill with the view of protecting his men from injury. Counsel on both sides had arrayed the evidence in two ways, utterly contradictory, and it was for the jury to sift it and give the verdict on the weight of evidence. The jury had seen the plaintiff brought in and had heard his evidence, and had no doubt been struck with the manner in which he had given his evidence. If they thought his head was clear and his memory good, they should give his evidence every weight, more weight indeed than that of one whose interests were involved. It was stated that the plaintiff had gone upon the plank willingly and with a full knowledge that it was unsafe and that, therefore, he was responsible for the accident. It was for the jury to ascertain the facts and decide accordingly.

At the conclusion of the learned judge's charge to the jury Mr. Bodwell asked His Lordship to present other matters to the jury, but His Lordship declined to state anything which would interfere with the free consideration by the jury of the evidence before them.

The court then adjourned until 3:30, when it is expected a verdict will be returned.

At 4 o'clock the jury gave a verdict for $3500 in favor of the plaintiff. Mr. Bodwell's motion for a non-suit will be heard before the full court, probably on Thursday next.

The German Army Bill.

BERLIN, Jan. 6.—The January number of the Preussische Jahrdue contains a notable article by Dr. Delbrueck on the army bill. The rejection of the bill, he says, would be an unqualified disaster to the German nation and especially to the monarchy. In view of the declarations of the cabinet the defeat of the bill must now lead to the fall of every minister. The withdrawal of the bill, which has been recommended repeatedly by the business interests which are to be taxed to raise the additional 58,000,000 marks annually, Dr. Delbrueck says, would be an irreparable blow to the Emperor, who, after long deliberation, had placed the whole weight of his personality behind it.

The Munich Allgemeine Zeitung (Bismarckian) continues its attacks upon the bill. In a leader yesterday morning it stated that five-sixths of the officers from the rank of major upwards were opposed to the measure.

The Freisainnige Zeitung (Radical organ) prophesies that the army bill will be rejected on the second reading in about four weeks.

A TOUR OF TITLES.

Not of Aristocrats but Those Produced by Authors.

"The Lady of the Aroostook" (who was "An Ambitious Woman") determined to spend "A Year Abroad." "One Reason Why" she liked sea voyages was "She Loved a Sailor." Then, too, "The Toilers of the Sea" always interested her. On shipboard she met "An Accomplished Gentleman." Though only "A Chance Acquaintance," she thought him a "Perfect Adonis," and "Almost Faultless" (still she was "True as Steel" to her sailor). This fellow-traveler told her he was such "A Thorough Bohemian" that he called himself "The Man Without a Country" and with "No Name." She, however, knew that he was of "Noble Blood," for "The Pilot" had told her. "She" said she owned no interest in "King Solomon's Mines," but she had plenty of "Hard Cash," viz., "American Coin," to enable her to take "A Flying Trip Around the World," but it would be "Out of the Question" to go "Alone," though she had no fear of "Hidden Perils" nor of being "Kidnapped." She concluded to join "The Innocents Abroad" and with them spend tho "Winter on the Nile." While there they met "Uarda" and "The Sisters" of George Ebers. They then took an "Italian Journey," during which they visited the old home of "Romola," though they had not time to call upon "The Makers of Florence." However, before leaving "The City of the Sea" they bought some curios from "The Merchant of Venice." Traveling northward they met in "The Sleeping Car" "A Hardy Norseman," who entertained them with "Tales of the Modern Vikings." They only made "A Little Tour in France," stopping only in Paris to ask "The Attic Philosopher" if he had discovered "Old Ma'm'selle's Secret" and to call on Dr. Maistre, who never went "Abroad," one of his eccentricities being to deride travel. He always said: I am content with "A Journey Around My Room."

The visited "A Castle in Spain" and found the court all reading "The Life of Columbus." Reaching England their "Hard Times" began. "An Uncommercial Traveler" had given alarming reports of the plague on the Continent and said it would be "A Fearful Responsibility" to admit travelers. So their "Great Expectations" fell, for their visit to London was "A Hopeless Case." They left "The Anglo-maniacs," as they termed them, to make "A Hazard of New Fortunes" in Old Scotia. There they were warmly welcomed by "Macleod of Dare," "Lorna Doone" and "Madcap Violet." "After Many Days" they took passage on the good ship "Mollie Brawn," "At Sunrise" they bade adieu to their "New Found Friends" and were soon "Homeward Bound." As "The Professor" was "Looking Backward" to wave again, he caught a faint echo of "Good-Bye, Sweetheart." He would have lingered "In Far Lochaber," for "A Highland Widow" "In Silk Attire" had made him her "Devout Lover." However, "A Case of Emergency," "An Imperative Duty," but a pleasant one, caused him to be "Called Back." "A Virginia Inheritance" was awaiting him. "Home Again," and "All Is Well that Ends Well," "The Wanderers" all satisfied with their "Roundabout Journeyings," only "The Professor" thinking there was one which could be more pleasant—"His Wedding Journey."

"The Sequel" to his "Lesson in Love" is not "A Strange Story," but "A Modern Instance," whose true love ran smooth. There was "No Foul Play," no cross purposes—finale, "Bridal March" and "Wedding Ring."

"The Lady of the Aroostook" was happy, too. She had seen "Terry Denver," "The Man She Cared For," and had gathered fuel for her "Back Log Studies."

Do Not Miss

Reading this item. As Lange & Co. did not succeed in selling their business for the figure agreed to to their Eastern friend, nor in disposing of all of their stock this Christmas to the public, and as the building wherein they have conducted business for the last 17 years is to be destroyed shortly and a new one erected in place, under the circumstances Lange & Co. are obliged to re-open in their own place, No. 88 Douglas street, opposite Odd Fellows' hall. Reduced sales will continue until goods which are left are sold. Any one wishing to secure a good going business, established since 30 years, can do so at a very reasonable figure. And the new premises can be rented at a moderate rate.

A Buckle in His Lungs.

PENN YAN, N.Y., Jan. 7.—Frank K. Watkins, aged 14, died of black jaundice yesterday. When two years old he swallowed a small brass buckle, which lodged in his lungs. There it remained about a year, causing him to cough violently. He never completely recovered.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

B. C. Pioneer Society.

Members are requested to meet at the Society Hall, Broad Street, on Sunday, 8th inst., at 1.45 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late member, Thomas I. Harding.

By order,
J. CLARIHUE, President.
Victoria, 6th January, 1893.

Albert, reported by some of H. M.'s most eminent officers, as being the only suitable site for an arsenal.

DIED.

HARDING—At his residence, 82 Superior street, on the 5th instant, Thomas Harding, a native of London, England, aged 58 years.

The funeral will take place on Sunday at 2:15 p.m. from his late residence as above, and at 2:45 p.m. at Christ Church Cathedral. Friends are invited to attend.

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All that piece or parcel of land lying and being in the City of Victoria, being lot No. 27, a subdivision of lot 4, and part of lot 5 of the WORK ESTATE, being part of section 4 of the Victoria District. According to a map or plan of the said subdivision deposited in the Lands Registry office at the City of Victoria, No. 358, together with all buildings and improvements thereon.

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A PUBLIC MEETING

Of the Electors of Victoria will be held in the Victoria Theatre, Monday, 9th inst., at 8 p. m., in the interest of

MR. WM. DALBY,

the Peoples' Candidate for Mayor.

Chair will be taken at 8 p. m. sharp.

Thunder Hill Mining Company, Ltd.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Company, 42 Government street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 31st January, 1893, at 8 p.m.

The books will be closed for transfer of shares Tuesday, January 24th.

W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
December 31, 1892. Secretary.
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2nd. To keep civic matters free from connection with Dominion and Local politics or parties.

3rd. To give its support and influence to the best men that can be secured as candidates for civic honors.

4th. To watch carefully all Municipal Affairs, and to discuss and pronounce upon all money By-laws.

Citizens' Ticket, 1893.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

The above named gentlemen having been chosen at a Citizens' Meeting held on Monday evening last, to represent the city as Aldermen and School Trustees for the year 1893, your support and hearty co-operation to elect them is earnestly solicited.

B. GORDON, Chairman.
B. BOGGS, Secretary.

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